

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Saturday; continued cool; frost

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PRICE TWO CENTS

HON. G. M. WOODWARD WILL BE REAPPOINTED TO POLICE BOARD

SAYS THAT HE WILL SERVE CITY AGAIN

VERBAL TALK WITH MAYOR THIS AFTERNOON

WAS APPOINTED BY TORRANCE

Prominent Lawyer Has Served on Commission Four Years and Accepts for Five More

Monday Mayor Anderson will be called upon to appoint a member of the board of police and fire commissioners to succeed Commissioner G. M. Woodward, whose term expires. The law creating the commission fixes the first Monday in May as the date of appointment.

Mr. Woodward will succeed himself, unless he declines. Mayor Anderson is understood to have already made the appointment, so far as its documentary evidences are concerned, and there remains but to forward it to Mr. Woodward to complete the official act. The appointment is for five years.

Mr. Woodward was appointed by former Mayor Torrance, in 1904, and has served four years. He succeeded Hon. J. J. Hogan, who retired then after long service. The other members of the commission are John Denzler, L. C. Colman and Wm. Torrance.

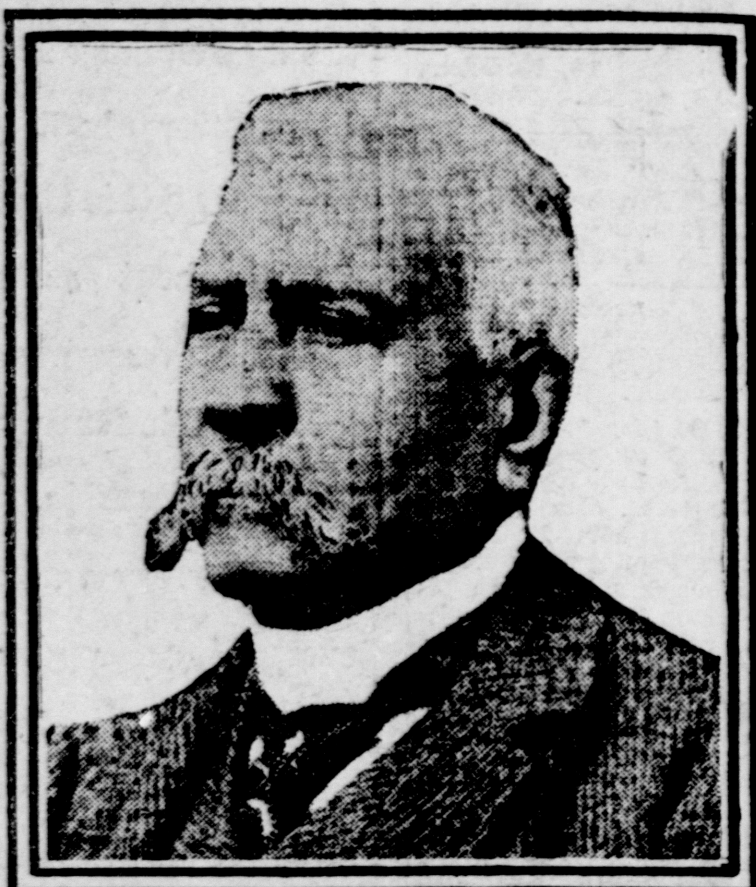
Late this afternoon Mr. Woodward said he had been informed this morning by the mayor that his term had expired, and that the re-appointment had been verbally tendered him. He said he would accept the appointment.

GREAT HOLE TORN IN VESSEL'S HULL

TOKIO, May 1.—Divers have discovered a monster hole in the sunken training cruiser Matsushima, port side, torn by the explosion which sent the vessel to the bottom off Makang, Pescadore Islands. The after-deck is torn to bits, the interior being so badly wrecked that few of the bodies can be recovered, although the corpses of the captain and commandant have been brought to the surface. It is not yet determined whether defective wiring or deterioration of the ammunition caused the explosion. The exact number of dead is still doubtful.

Roosevelt Cables Mikado. WASHINGTON, May 1.—Roosevelt today sent the following to the Emperor of Japan: "The American people are deeply shocked and grieved at the terrible naval disaster that has just caused the loss of the lives of so many gallant officers and men of the Japanese navy. In their behalf, and personally on my own account, I desire to express profound sympathy and concern, and I wish it were in my power to show this sympathy in a more practical fashion than by mere words. (Signed) Theodore Roosevelt."

ACT OF WAR RUMORED IN CENTRAL AMERICA



PRESIDENT DIAZ

Mexican Ruler Who Proposes to Protect His Country's Interests in Event of a Central American War

CITY OF MEXICO, May 1.—Verification or denial of reports that Guatemala has forced entrance to the Uruguayan consulate at Guatemala City; that Honduran Consul General Mindens and his son were seized there; that the Uruguayan consul general has taken refuge in the United States legation and that Guatemala

MERCHANTS MOVE TO RETAIN SHOPS

COMMITTEE WILL INTERVIEW SUPT. CUNNINGHAM

BAN ON HOLIDAY CIRCUSES

Merchants Believe They Would Profit If the Attractions Came Here On Business Days

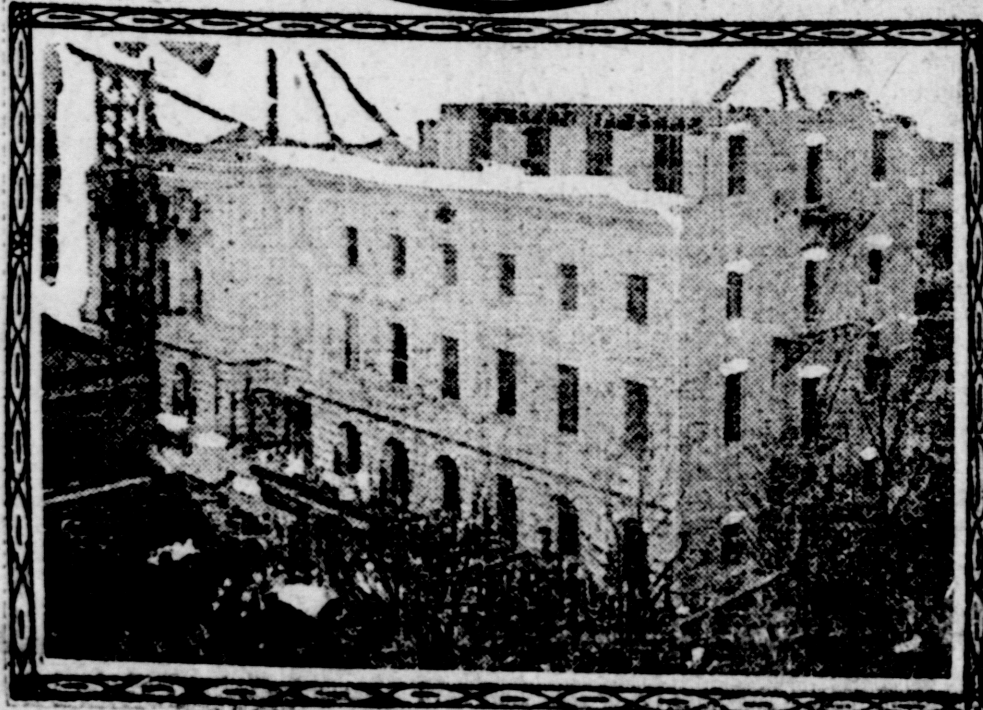
A committee composed of J. C. Toeller, Frank Tillman, Joseph Feiber and A. Hussa, was chosen at the meeting of the Merchant's Protective association last night to interview Superintendent Cunningham of the "Q" as to whether the statement that has been circulated about town of the Burlington moving their shops to Aurora be true. In case they meet with an answer to the affirmative they have been given power by the association to protest against any such move on the part of the company. They were also equipped with facts to show that no small amount is daily paid into the local offices of the company by La Crosse merchants and they will try to show the inadvisability of any such move.

Bar Advertising Graft. Another measure of importance taken up at this meeting was the matter of the various merchants taking part in divers "advertising schemes," such as program advertising. It was unanimously decided that a member of the association who takes part in any such deal without first having it approved by Secretary Harry Taggart, will lay himself liable to a penalty to be inflicted by the association.

No Holiday Circuses. A committee consisting of Joseph Feiber, Charles Gessell and W. F. Strauss was appointed to accompany Secretary Taggart on his rounds in an endeavor to get more of the merchants into the association. It was decided also to petition the city council, at its next meeting to refuse to grant licenses to circuses on legal holidays. It is pointed out that if circuses were brought here on business days the merchants would profit largely from the crowds coming to the city who would spend part of the day shopping.

A system, of what might be termed a sliding scale of dues, was set at the meeting last night and the different merchants in the association will pay dues according to the business done. Four classes consisting of A, B, C, and D, were set up. Class A, which is to consist of the largest merchants, will pay dues amounting to \$16.00 per annum. Class B, which consists of the next in prominence, will pay \$12.00. Class C will pay \$8.00 and class D \$4.00. The association secretary will canvass the merchants of the city in regard to closing the stores from 2 o'clock until 7 memorial day.

SECRETARY WILSON AND HIS NEW OFFICE AT WASHINGTON



WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—The staunch Scotchman, James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, is a practical farmer. His home is in Traer, Tama county, Iowa. He was born in Ayrshire, Scotland, nearly seventy-three years ago. In 1852 he came to the United States, settled in Connecticut with his parents, and three years later moved to Iowa, where he has since been engaged in farming. Mr. Wilson has served his state in the general assemblies, being speaker of the house during one session; later he represented his state as representative in Washington. In 1870 he was made regent of the state university and for six years previous to becoming secretary of agriculture he was director of the agricultural experiment station and

professor of agriculture in the Iowa agricultural college at Ames. He has been secretary of agriculture for eleven years and during that time has directed many movements for the betterment of farming conditions over the country. This department has worked so quietly and unostentatiously that its full benefit to the United States cannot be appreciated until one has gone into careful study of the matter. Most of the far reaching policies and results can be attributed to the quiet, modest Secretary Wilson. The department is about to have a new building in which to operate. This is a magnificent structure nearing completion, and will be a great addition to Washington's architecture.

ANNIVERSARY OF DEWEY'S VICTORY

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Admiral Dewey began the celebration of the tenth anniversary of his victory over the Spanish fleet in Manila Bay, by receiving a deluge of congratulations from inside and outside the navy. Tonight he will dine with a number of officers who fought in the memorable engagement. Rear Admirals Coughlin, Lamberton, Walker and Ford.

FLEET WELCOMED WELL AT MONTEREY

MONTEREY, Cal., May 1.—The Atlantic fleet arrived here at 5 o'clock and was met by a reception committee, and escorted to anchorage. The entire path was blazed by poppies cast on the water by women in launches. While their boats acted as an escort of the fleet on the water, the California Automobile club was acting as a land escort, a long line of machines parading along the coast on even terms with the fleet. Ten thousand visitors assembled in the city, which was gorgeously decorated. A holiday had been proclaimed, and when the landing parties came ashore they were bombarded with flowers thrown by school children. This afternoon a dinner will be tendered the admirals and captains, with dances tonight for the enlisted men. A ball game will also be a feature of the entertainment.

CROWD OF ELKS TO GO TO WINONA, MINN.

A crowd of about twenty members of the local lodge of Elks, headed by Exalted Ruler E. A. Gatterdam, will leave this evening for Winona, to attend the Winona Elks' minstrel show given there this evening. The show was given last evening also, and proved a huge success.

JEFF DAVIS HURLS INVECTIVE AT HIS FELLOW SENATORS

HOUSE OF DOLLARS FLAYED BY ARKANSAS SOLON

NEWSPAPERS GET IT TOO

Hot Stuff From Man Whom the Newspapers Have Made Butt of Humorous Gossip

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—Denouncing the press with bitter invective, Jeff Davis, of Arkansas, today made a sensational speech in the senate as reply to editorial comments upon remarks he made on the floor last December. Admitting there were some honest newspapers, he declared those which criticized him were "subsidized" by the trusts. Defying them as "damnable imps of pelf and greed," he invited them to do their worst. He warned the senate that that body was regarded as a defender of predatory wealth, and speaking to a motion to discharge the committee from further consideration of his anti-trust bill, he urged that the senate should purge itself by doing something for the people. If trusts had an influence in the senate, he declared, it was indirect, but he said its members were but men, possessed of the weakness, fears, hopes and temptations of other men.

"Approach senators directly?" he asked. "No. Not that. The trusts would not do that. But did not the honor of senators warn them they dare not? Assured thus of the rebuke that must follow direct approach of senators, a system infinitely removed and wholly metaphysical is adroitly woven around the habit of legislation. Necromancy or rather hypnotism, is the better word. It is the hypnotism of wealth. By its exquisite agencies, though neither person nor honor is harmed, the will is unconsciously controlled."

"The special interests," Davis said, "sought by intimidation to make plain speaking unpopular. A certain of the press, even, altered by vain glory or gold, had set the fashion to deride and decry whatever was calculated to arouse the country to its true condition."

Concluding he hurled this philippic at the press: "Miserable travesties on noble manhood; post graduates in all the arts of slander and defamation, I challenge a subsidized press. The people know your designs, spurn your pretenses! Go, damnable imps of pelf and greed, I defy your taunts; tear to fragments my political career if it comport with your execrable will; stifle, distort my every utterance. Not satisfied if such be your brutal frenzy, lash my poor form into insensibility, then if it be your further pleasure, gnaw from my stiffening limbs every vestige of quivering flesh; howl in wreathed hostility through my own innocent blood as it drips from your fiendish visages; drag then, if you want, what remains into the filth and vermin of your foul dens, burn it upon the altar of Baal, or scatter it before the friendly winds of heaven to your betters, the carrion crows of the field. All that may they do, and all more, if there yet be open further depths of infamy to the polluted, besotted press."

LABOR PEACE IS CAUSE OF HOLIDAY

NEW YORK, May 1.—May day is peace day at last. For the first time in years the advent of the month finds industrial peace general throughout the United States. There are no important labor disputes pending anywhere, and where minor strikes are in progress local grievances are the cause. As evidence of peace an enormous labor demonstration under the auspices of the socialists is to be held in Union Square this afternoon. A permit has been granted to hold the rally.

Ready for Emergencies. However, despite the fact that Commissioner Bingham insists there is no reason to fear trouble during the street parade and open air demonstration of the Industrial Workers of the World and the socialists this afternoon, scarcely ever in the history of the city has the department taken such elaborate precautions as today. The chief inspector with four subordinate inspectors, ten captains, 25 lieutenants and 500 policemen have been detailed to accompany the marchers, and 700 reserves are being held.

Even French Quiet. PARIS, May 1.—May day, usually an occasion of turbulence, labor troubles and street fighting throughout France, promises to pass off quietly this year. Ten meetings of socialists and trade unionists were held in Paris early in the day, but the demonstrations have been orderly. However, danger of trouble is by no means over. The workmen have chosen the boulevards and the Champs Elysees for a grand parade late today and the authorities are exceedingly fearful that demonstrations may lead to a clash.

LOOT OF EXPRESS ROBBERS IS RICH; CURRENCY SHIPPED

PROBABLY \$80,000 STOLEN NEAR PITTSBURG

POSSES SEARCH FOR MEN

Effort Being Made to Capture Gang That Held Up Express Car in the East

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 1.—Poses today are scouring the hills in this vicinity for ten desperadoes who last night held up the messenger of express train No. 25 on the Panhandle division of the Pennsylvania road, and escaped with four bags of money. The holdup occurred near Walker's Mill, eleven miles from Pittsburgh, at an early hour today. It was at first said the robbers obtained about \$80,000, but C. H. Heiser, general agent of the company, stated at noon that the loss will not amount to more than \$350. It is generally believed, however, that between \$50,000 and \$100,000 was stolen.

Express Messenger Roshen, who was in charge of the car at the time of the robbery, and who was found gagged and bound when the train reached Walker's Mill, is being closely questioned today. He is 60 years old and has been with the company for many years.

Isolated Station. Walker's station is a particularly lonely and isolated spot in a rough section of the country about eleven miles west of the city. The train, one of the fastest on the road, which is not scheduled to stop between here and Steubenville, Ohio, was brought to a sudden halt by an emergency signal from the bell cord, and when Conductor William Lafferty went forward to learn the trouble he found Adams Express Messenger N. Roshen bound and gagged in the express car and so frightened that he could not give any connected report of what had happened.

Robbers are White Men

Except that both of the robbers were white, the express messenger is unable to give any description that would aid the secret service forces of the Panhandle & Pennsylvania Railway company's city and county detective forces, all of whom have been called out to work on the case. The express safe was open. The messenger was making up bills for packages received from the local offices, and the robbery was accomplished in a very few minutes.

Persons standing on the station platform at Carnegie, a short distance from the place where the robbers left the train, saw the express messenger at work in his car. The two men were on the platform outside the car.

The robbery was one of the most daring that has ever been committed in this section. There is a dense woods near Walker's station, where the robbers pulled the bell.

Silver Certificates Shipped.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 1.—Thomas J. Adkins, sub-treasurer here, said today he had advice from Washington that \$40,000 in silver certificates had been shipped to St. Louis. He said \$80,000 in gold would weigh 300 pounds and the Pittsburgh robbers would be unable to carry off that amount. Moreover, he said gold is rarely shipped from the east to St. Louis, but that the silver certificates might have been stolen.

STETSON CO. THROWN INTO BANKRUPTCY

BOSTON, Mass., May 1.—Liabilities of three millions are given in the involuntary petition of bankruptcy filed in federal court against W. A. Stetson, the prominent leather dealer here, the Ford Moccro company, of which Stetson is president; the Boston Chrome Leather company, of which he is treasurer, and the William A. Stetson company, of which he is the head. The petition says about a million dollars is secured by claims. Assets, it is estimated, will aggregate a million and a half.

GIANT GAS WELL HEARD FOR MILES

TULESA, Okla., May 1.—In the Bald Hill oil field, south of here, the John A. Steel Oil company today brought in a gas well said to be good for sixty million cubic feet daily. It is one of the largest ever discovered in the world. The roar of the well while it was being saddled could be heard for fifteen miles.

KATHERINE MORAN DIES AT HOSPITAL

Katherine Moran, 319 south Seventh street, died at the St. Francis hospital early this morning from a complication of diseases. The deceased was 49 years of age and housekeeper for Father White for a number of years. The body will be taken to Portage, Wis., May 4. Rev. Father White will officiate at the funeral.

WAR DEPT. SENDS O. K. BLACK RIVER SCHEME TO MAYOR

ALL OBJECTIONS TO ALLOTMENT ARE REMOVED

FUNDS ARE PROVIDED FOR

Captain Thompson Says Work Must Be Delayed for Want of Dredging Outfit

The restoration of Black river to commerce as far as the North side, which has been hung up for some time, was assured today when Mayor Anderson received assurances from the war department of the United States that the work will be done, an allotment of funds for clearing the channel having been provided. The letter is signed by Engineer C. W. Dunham, and proceeds as follows:

Dunham's Letter "U. S. Engineer Office, Upper Mississippi River Improvement, Rock Island, Ill., April 30th.

"Hon. Wendell A. Anderson, Mayor of La Crosse, La Crosse, Wis.: "Sir: I have to inform you that the secretary of war has authorized the expenditure of an additional \$2,500 for dredging, La Crosse to Onalaska. This amount added to former allotments, makes up a sum of \$6,500 for La Crosse harbor. "The dredging plant will arrive in La Crosse some time in May. "By direction of and in absence of Maj. Richie: "Very respectfully, "C. W. DUNHAM, "Principal Assistant Engineer."

All Objections Removed. The points upon which the war department hesitated were that it questioned whether the river affected actually was part of the La Crosse harbor, and that there should be a guarantee by the city that the improvements made would be maintained. The department became satisfied as to the first question, and received a promise from the mayor based upon a council resolution agreeing to maintain the improvements "as far as the authority of the city extended."

History of the Plan. The matter came up first in July when the authorities here called the attention of the war department to the need of the work. There followed considerable correspondence, and on August 5 the mayor was notified that \$2,500 would be appropriated for the work, under the conditions as to maintenance, etc. On August 9 the council took the necessary action, and on August 10 General Mackenzie, engineer in chief with headquarters at Rock Island, was notified that there had been compliance with his stipulations.

Captain Thompson, of the local offices of the war department, says the work will not be begun until the season is well advanced, owing to the impossibility of immediately getting the necessary dredging machinery sent to La Crosse. However, it will be started in time to permit of its completion this year.

DAUGHTER OF MIKADO WEDS

TOKIO, May 1.—The Princess Tsune, sixth and youngest daughter of the emperor was married to Prince Takeda, head of the ancient house of Kitashirakawa.

Weather and Water



Coolest in La Crosse, 34; warmest, 48; wind, 4 miles; precipitation, .01. Extremes in United States: Devils Lake, 20; Phoenix, 90. The river will rise .5 or more during the next 36 hours. Stage of water, 7.6, a rise of .7. The weather bureau rather expects warmer weather for Sunday, but it is too early for a safe prediction.

Forecasts today: Wisconsin—Generally fair and continued cool tonight and Saturday, frost probably tonight. Minnesota—Fair tonight and Saturday; continued cool with frost to night. Iowa—Fair tonight and Saturday; continued cool with frost tonight.

WARD'S

SPECIAL BARGAIN LIST FOR
BUSY HOUSECLEANERS

9x9 Kymera Art Squares	\$5.40
9x10 6 Kymera Art Squares	\$6.30
9x12 Kymera Art Squares	\$7.20
6x9 Union Art Squares	\$6.00
7 6x9 Union Art Squares	\$6.50
9x9 Union Art Squares	\$7.00
9x12 Union Art Squares	\$9.00
9x9 Pro Brussels Art Squares	\$9.00
9x10 6 Pro Brussels Art Squares	\$11.00
9x12 Pro Brussels Art Squares	\$13.00
9x12 Tapestry Art Squares	\$20.00
8.3x10.6 Axminster Art Squares	\$25.00
9x12 Axminster Art Squares	\$27.50, \$30.00, \$31.50, \$35.00
Beds (Brass)	\$50.00 down to \$19.75
Beds (Iron)	\$16.00 down to \$2.50
Beds (Wood)	\$18.00 down to \$6.25
Buffets	\$50.00 down to \$18.75
Book Cases	\$60.00 down to \$11.75
Commodore	\$10.00 down to \$4.25
Couches (Leather)	\$50.00 down to \$27.50
Couches (Leatherette)	\$25.00 down to \$16.75
Couches (Velour)	\$18.00 down to \$5.75
Couches (Sanitary)	\$11.00 down to \$4.25
Cabinets (Music)	\$18.00 down to \$6.75
Cabinets (Kitchen)	\$35.00 down to \$4.75
Chiffoniers (with glass)	\$35.00 down to \$10.25
China Closets	\$60.00 down to \$16.75
Curtains (Lace)	\$15.00 pair down to 98c
Couch Covers	\$11.00 down to \$2.25
Cots and Cribs	\$12.50 down to \$1.25
Chairs	\$25.00 down to 69c
Desks	\$25.00 down to \$5.75
Dressers	\$45.00 down to \$9.75
Divans	\$30.00 down to \$6.75
Davenport	\$50.00 down to \$18.75
Dinner Sets (112 pc.)	\$30.00 down to \$14.75
Go Carts	\$35.00 down to \$1.69
Hall Trees	\$35.00 down to \$13.75
Hammocks	\$5.00 down to \$2.25
Lamps (Parlor)	\$13.00 down to \$4.75
Mattresses	\$18.00 down to \$2.25
Pillows	\$7.00 pair down to \$1.75
Portiers	\$12.00 pair down to \$3.75
Pedestals	\$9.00 down to \$1.75
Quilts	\$6.00 down to \$2.25
Refrigerators	\$30.00 down to \$8.50
Ranges	\$60.00 down to \$27.50
Stoves	\$75.00 down to \$11.25
Sideboards	\$50.00 down to \$13.25
Springs	\$8.00 down to \$1.50
Suits (Parlor)	\$60.00 down to \$14.75
Sweepers (Bissells)	\$5.50 down to \$2.50
Tables	\$45.00 down to 98c
Wringers (Bench and Tub)	\$8.00 down to \$3.75
Wash Stands	\$3.50 down to \$2.25

10% DOWN AND 10% PER MONTH

Present this "Bargain List" at our store, good for \$1.00 as a first payment on any purchase of \$10.00 or more.

WOODWARD SUPPLY CO.

511-13 MAIN STREET

ASSESSMENT WILL
START TODAY

The assessing of the personal property was started this morning by Messrs. Edward Scheufler and P. J. McCauley.

Mr. Scheufler will take charge of the south side while Mr. McCauley will assess the property of the north side residents. The work is expected to take until about the middle of June and the report of the assessors will be made out the last Monday in June.

THE SPORT WORLD

CARDINALS LOSE
FIRST TO CUBS

RAYMOND IS GIVEN POOR SUPPORT BY MCLOSKEY'S MEN

BOSTON WINS FROM YANKEES

American Association Teams Were Idle Yesterday—Rain Interferes With Other Games

Games Today.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Columbus at Milwaukee.
Toledo at Kansas City.
Louisville at St. Paul.
Indianapolis at Minneapolis.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago at Detroit.
Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Washington.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
St. Louis at Chicago.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.

Yesterday's Results.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
No games scheduled.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Washington, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
St. Louis, 2; Cleveland, 1.
Boston-New York, rain.
Chicago-Detroit, rain.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Chicago, 3; St. Louis, 1.
Brooklyn, 2; Philadelphia, 0.
Boston, 3; New York, 2.
Pittsburgh-Cincinnati, rain.

Club Standings.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
W. L. Pct.
Columbus 11 3 .786
Toledo 9 3 .750
Indianapolis 9 4 .693
Louisville 9 5 .643
Milwaukee 7 7 .500
Kansas City 4 9 .307
Minneapolis 2 11 .154
St. Paul 2 11 .154
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
W. L. Pct.
Cleveland 8 5 .616
New York 8 5 .616
St. Louis 9 6 .600
Philadelphia 8 7 .533
Chicago 7 7 .500
Boston 7 7 .500
Washington 5 9 .357
Detroit 3 9 .250
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
W. L. Pct.
Chicago 8 3 .727
Pittsburgh 7 4 .636
New York 8 6 .571
Philadelphia 7 7 .500
Boston 7 7 .500
Cincinnati 5 6 .455
Brooklyn 6 8 .429
St. Louis 3 10 .231

The Cardinals lost to the Cubs yesterday in an uninteresting game by the score of 2 to 1. Raymond for the Cardinals pitched good ball but was poorly supported. Boston won from New York in the ninth inning yesterday, when Bowerman made a home run, scoring the final score in the game. The Brooklyn-Philadelphia game was called in the fifth inning with the score of 2 to 0 in favor of Brooklyn. Philadelphia ran in five scores in the sixth inning, but rain interfered and the game was called with the score of 2 to 0. Rain prevented the Detroit-White Sox game in the American league.

National League Games.
At Chicago—R H E
St. Louis 000100000—1 4 3
Chicago 00020010—3 5 1
Batteries—Raymond and Hostetter; Frasier and Kling.
At Boston—R H E
New York 000020000—2 10 2
Boston 000010011—3 8 1
Batteries—Crandall and Bresnahan; Flaherty and Bowerman.
At Brooklyn—R H E
Philadelphia 00000—0 4 0
Brooklyn 00200—2 5 0
Five innings called, rain.
Batteries—Moren and Dooin; Rucker and Ritter.

American League Games.
At St. Louis—R H E
Cleveland 000000100—1 4 2
St. Louis 40200020—9 11 0
Batteries—Leibhardt, Graney, Chech and Clarke; Powell and Spencer.
At Philadelphia—R H E
Washington 11000000—2 8 0
Philadelphia 00001000—1 4 0
Called end of eighth, rain.
Batteries—Hughes and Street; Carter and Scheckengost.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR
MOTORCYCLE SQUAD

Last season's use of the motorcycle in police work was studied with interest by the chiefs all over the country. The consensus of opinion is that the members of a motorcycle squad must be of small and wiry build, of an age ranging from twenty-five to thirty-five. The police heads have decided that these men need not be extra strong as to muscle, but it is imperative that they be very active and full of nerve. So it happens that the big or elderly policeman finds himself out of it, when it comes to picking men for the motorcycle force.

SONS OF BROOKLYN MEET
MUFFALO, N. Y., May 1.—The sons of the American revolution this morning began their nineteenth annual convention here. This afternoon the visitors will see the sights of the city.

THREE-I CHAFF TO
PLAY TWO GAMES

TEAM TO COME HERE AS GOOD AS THE REGULARS

LOCALS EXPECT 2 VICTORIES

Cold Weather Has Dampened the Work in Practice, but Warm Weather is Holed for Sunday

Opening tomorrow afternoon at the league park at 3 o'clock a series of two games will be played by Dubuque, composed of a ferac semi pro players from that city together with the men left over after the Three I team was picked, and Pink's Regulars. The Dubuque team is considered equally as strong as the Three I team that met defeat before the local warriors last Sunday. Keller, a pitcher of the Schnelberg build, will do the twirling for the Dubuquers in tomorrow's contest. He tried out with Minneapolis and later went to Dubuque where he is making good. Manager Hawley will keep an eye on his work while in the city and if able to deliver the goods may be retained for the local pitching staff.

Manager Hawley will use the same team that represented La Crosse at Dubuque last Sunday and made such a creditable showing. The Colts will watch the game from the side lines Saturday and will leave Sunday morning for Viroqua to play a return game with the Vernon county nine.

"The cold weather has put the men in rather poor shape," said Manager Hawley today, "but with a hard practice today I hope to have the players in fine fettle." Practice was taken up in earnest by the players both morning and afternoon today and they are fast rounding into old time shape. This afternoon the Colts and regulars played a good contest and the team work of the Regulars was a feature. The lineup for La Crosse tomorrow will be as follows: Bues, third; Harms, catcher; Tracy, first base; Love, second; Becker, short; Hastings, left field; Graves, center field; Du Chien, right field; Eberly, Jones and Rothel, pitchers.

Dubuque will lineup as follows: Eslinger, third; Risman, right field; Fuller, first; Palmer, second; Tulgen, catcher; Reider, short; Herzey, center field; Holtenbach, left field; Pauly, Monaghan, Keller and Muller, pitchers.

Rockford 7, Gophers 1
The St. Paul Gophers, colored, fell to defeat yesterday before the Rockford Reds to the tune of 7 to 1. The baby club of the state league played an excellent game. The team was of a championship variety and an easy victory was drawn from the colored aggregation.

Freeport 1, Rockford 0
The champions of the Wisconsin-Indiana league defeated the Rockford team of the new trolley league yesterday by the score of 1 to 0. Cummings and Scott did the twirling for Freeport.

Madison 9, Wisconsin 3
The Senators defeated the university team at Madison yesterday by the score of 9 to 3. The students made a good showing but were unable to hit the league pitchers.

League Notes
Wausau will open in Rockford. The Reds have been pitted against one of the fastest teams in the league to start with and the Rockford management believes it will be possible to put the heavyweights down early in the season and have the easier teams when the boys have been given a few days of hard work.

Green Bay will be the first team to have a Sunday game at Rockford, and the Wisconsinites will get a warm reception if the weather man is good, for Rockford intends setting attendance mark for the Sunday games. The turnstile will be set at 2,000 for the minimum mark.

Thirteen straight games at home is what the schedule calls for in Rockford to open the season.

Rockford plays its first away-from-home game at Wausau, Wis., and will have a long jump to make between the close of the game here, May 19, and opening in the Wisconsin city the next afternoon.

President Moll has not assigned the umpires for the opening games as yet.

Madison is working out a few new ones. The capital city fellows are worried over the non-appearance of Stange, and the catcher will undoubtedly keep away from that city.

The trip of the Green Bay team through the south for the spring training has been putting the men in the pink of condition and it is claimed by Manager Corrigan that when the club faces Freeport in the opening games May 7 the team will be in the best condition of any team in the league. The trip has been a financial success too, and will return to the state league a few dollars ahead.

It begins to look as if "Dutchy" Vogt will not be needed on the Fond du Lac team this year. With Newhouse as a bench manager no effort was made to secure another man for the shortstop position, but with Bobby Lynch in the game it was planned to shift Vogt to third base.

Manager Cantillon of Minneapolis has wired the Madison management that he had released Whitmore and turned him over to them. Whether he

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THE OXFORD FOOTBALL TEAM

NURSERY IN FIRST
METHODIST CHURCH

By Donald Grant Herring

The above picture of the successful Oxford team is especially interesting on account of the large number of Rhodes scholars represented. This picture was taken at Bordeaux, France, recently when Oxford defeated Bordeaux by a score of 6 to 3.

The game is quite different from the football played in the United States. Personally I prefer the American game, taken by Bob Torrey, center and captain of the univer-

sity of Pennsylvania, but find the English substitute very interesting and exciting. In the picture are five Rhodes scholars. On the extreme right is shown President Shearer of the Bordeaux college and on the left the vice president.

The Rhodes scholars are: No. 15, Hands from South Africa; No. 13, Corgie, South Africa; No. 3, Rowbotham, Australia; No. 12, Flemmer, Brazil, and No. 4, myself.

will return or not has not yet been determined.

Wausau has been having fun with some of the clubs of the Iowa league. The Lumberjacks whaled Ottumwa 9 to 1 and 4 to 0.

Robert Lynch, who will manage the Fond du Lac team, reported Wednesday.

It looks now as if the Rockford pitching staff will be composed of Rogers, Blaxrud, Schanze and Sutton, but it is not too late for a good man to get on.

Catcher Stange has written Manager Golden saying he is not at all satisfied to go to Madison. After due consideration he has decided that Rockford is the town he wants to play in and he can't understand how he can be sent to the capital city club when Hotten and O'Leary, also of the Eau Claire team, are going to Rockford. Stange is so intent on joining the Rockford club that he is going to take up the question with Secretary Farrel personally.

CHADWICK ESTATE
VALUED AT \$1,000

NEW YORK, May 1.—The will of the late Henry Chadwick, the "father of baseball," who died in Brooklyn on April 29, was filed today. The estate, which is valued at \$1,000, is left to the widow, and there is this reminder to Albert G. Spalding, one

of the executors: "I remind Albert G. Spalding of his promise to see that a monument shall be erected over my grave in Greenwood cemetery."

COLUMBUS GETS
PITCHER HARRIS

COLUMBUS, O., May 1.—Joe Harris, the Boston American pitcher, was released to the Columbus American association team. He will join the capital city nine after its return from its western trip. Twirler Rodgers of Louisville, who has been secured by President Brice of the Columbus team, will join the champions when they reach Milwaukee.

CORNELL OARSMAN
ILL WITH FEVER

ITHACA, N. Y., May 1.—Bill Koerner, one of the Cornell crack oarsmen, has been taken ill with scarlet fever and will be out of aquatics for the year. Koerner was one of the fixtures in the varsity team, and his loss will be sorely felt. In practice his place was taken by Sanger, a member of one of the four oared crews. Koerner may have exposed others, as he ate at the training table.

Elmer Yehle, who has been confined at his home, 1411 Avon street, with la grippe, is slightly improved.

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2—Thurs	6,273	17—Fri	6,356
3—Fri	6,317	18—Sat	6,370
4—Sat	6,336	19—Sunday	
5—Sunday		20—Mon	6,265
6—Mon	6,263	21—Tues	6,250
7—Tues	6,258	22—Wed	6,210
8—Wed	6,226	23—Thurs	6,218
9—Thurs	6,218	24—Fri	6,215
10—Fri	6,217	25—Sat	6,263
11—Sat	6,235	26—Sunday	
12—Sunday		27—Mon	6,267
13—Mon	6,370	28—Tues	6,274
14—Tues	6,366	29—Wed	6,227
15—Wed	6,330	30—Thurs	6,225

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 manager of the La Crosse Tribune,
 do solemnly swear that the actual
 number of copies of the paper nam-
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 this thirtieth day of April, 1908.
 A. E. BLEEKMAN,
 Notary Public.

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TREE TRIMMIN'.

Today an official notice calling up-
 on property owners, as per ordinance,
 to trim their trees, is published in
 the Tribune.

When this ordinance was passed
 under Dr. Anderson's first adminis-
 tration, there were many objections
 made by those who delighted, par-
 tisanly, in calling it another evidence
 of his "grannyism." That passed
 quickly, however, because the en-
 hanced beauty of the streets after
 the first official "trimmin'" was all
 the endorsement the law needed.

There should be prompt and care-
 ful compliance with the order to trim
 trees this year. A number of gentle-
 men are just embarking on the du-
 ties of park commissioners, and the
 co-operation which artistic and order-
 ly trimming of the trees will suggest
 to them affords the first opportuni-
 ty to encourage their work in a
 practical way.

Incidentally, people will be inter-
 ested in that portion of the order
 which states that, during May, rub-
 bish caused by tree trimming will be
 removed by the city free of charge
 for all who notify the board of pub-
 lic works by phone or otherwise,
 that their trees are trimmed and the
 branches await the cart.

ANOTHER FALSEHOOD SHOWN

The attempt of R. B. Gelatt to give
 the impression that Dr. Anderson was
 humiliated before the state railroad
 commission, that he had clamored
 against the lighting company in pri-
 vate, but was forced to admit before
 a judicial body that he knew of no
 grounds for assaults is perfectly un-
 derstandable. Mr. Gelatt cannot be
 blamed for his juggling of the facts,
 for he owes a deep debt of vengeance
 to the mayor. Exposed by the latter
 in the most remarkable program for
 stealing the editorial of great writ-
 ers and presenting it as his own that
 has shocked journalistic circles in
 years, he has been humiliated before
 the public to such an extent that
 nothing he can do in the future will
 serve to injure him in the popular
 estimate. With nothing to lose, and
 a great spleen to vent, what wonder
 that he should stoop to misrepresentation
 in an attempt to heap upon his
 exposer brief aspersions of which he
 must have known an early publica-
 tion of the facts would disabuse the
 few minds that—strangers to the sit-
 uation—might temporarily absorb them.

Dr. Anderson has never attacked
 the lighting company. A suggestion
 by the light company, favored by
 him, for a joint investigation as to
 the actual facts was tabled by the
 council. Inquiry having thus been
 blocked, he sought no other probe,

and he simply went before the com-
 mission in response to a summons,
 and there told what he had heard, a
 few personal observations, and his
 own conclusions. We are free to say
 that, in the main, we believe he gave
 the company the better of every
 doubt, probably because loath to lend
 the weight of his authority to what
 he did not know of his own knowl-
 edge. No stockholder of the light-
 ing company can read his testimony,
 published in The Tribune last night,
 and say he was unfair to it. No per-
 son can honestly repeat the nasty in-
 sinuation of the organ of the com-
 pany that he was humiliated by the
 commission. The fact is that the
 commission's attitude indicated that
 the members were interested in what
 he said, and impressed by it.

To what extent the hearing was
 conclusive as to the issues between
 the people of this city and the light-
 ing company, however, is shown by
 the introductory paragraphs from
 the transcript of the case. Not the
 gas business, not the business af-
 fairs, methods, capitalization, etc., of
 the company, were the subject of
 inquiry. Simply the efficiency of the
 mechanical workings and equipment
 of the electrical plant. Bad as these
 are, bad as the company admits
 them to be, they have not formed
 the crux of the popular complaint
 against the institution. The real is-
 sue has been matters at the bottom
 of which may partly lie a great vol-
 ume of public distrust which the
 Gelatts created through their own
 publications when engaged in balting
 their present associates, and which
 the present company is fostering by
 clinging to the Gelatts. When the
 story of the "common stock" is for-
 gotten this prejudice against the
 Gelatts and those who choose them
 as business companions will die. Not
 before.

Lest there be a misunderstanding
 as to the scope of the hearing, we
 quote again from the transcript:

Com. Meyer:
 "The present hearing is with
 reference to the character of the ser-
 vice furnished by the La Crosse Gas
 & Electric company, and everything
 that relates to that will be pertinent
 to this inquiry."

Mr. Lees:
 "Both gas and electricity?"
 Com. Meyer:
 "Possibly for the present we ought
 to confine ourselves to the electrici-
 ty."

Com. Meyer:
 "Professor Burgess, are you ready
 to report on both or just the electrici-
 ty?"

Prof. Burgess:
 "Very little to report on the gas
 service as yet; but completed that."

Com. Meyer:
 "We will confine this exclusively
 to the electricity."

A municipality cannot expect to
 run the business of a big interstate
 railroad, nor is it just to expect these
 great thoroughfares of commerce to
 impinge the convenience of the
 whole traveling public in order to
 contribute to the advantages of any
 particular community. We believe
 the Burlington wants to do as well
 by La Crosse as the welfare of its
 patrons as a whole will permit, and
 for that reason we look for an am-
 icable and mutually satisfactory con-
 clusion of the present discussion af-
 fecting Burlington schedules.

The occasional popping of a bank
 since the panic, like the desultory
 firing of the left over crackers on the
 5th of July, serves only to revive
 feelings of security among La Crosse
 business men who have seen our
 local banks go triumphant and un-
 shaken through still another trial.
 When a panic rages, depositors in
 this city enjoy the comfortable feel-
 ings of the boy awakened by the
 thunder, who "snuggles up" in his
 bed in enraptured safety while the
 storm roars without.

Many an old heart, in reminiscence
 of boyhood days, will deplore the de-
 struction of the home of "Huck
 Finn." "Tom Sawyer's" pal, which
 has been devastated by the onward
 march of industry. Not every boy
 had the "sand" to be a "Huck Finn,"
 but there never was a mollycoddle so
 insipid as not to have admired him
 during the hero-worshipping time of
 youth.

The financial success of the Saen-
 gerfest recital is most gratifying.
 There is a dearth of entertainment of
 the higher order during the summer
 months, and it is suggested that the
 committee might successfully inau-
 gurate a series of performances to
 augment its finances. A patriotic
 public would be pleased to patron-
 ize them.

The burning of a suspicious
 house which, since the elimination of
 the "burned area" crept into a resi-
 dence suburb provokingly just be-
 yond the limits of municipal authori-
 ty, will be regarded in the light of
 a benediction, whether it occurred by
 accident or by design, and no matter
 by whose design.

The sudden death of Mrs. George
 Dalton, coming in the midst of the
 heroic battle of her esteemed hus-
 band for the recovery of his health,
 is a distressing incident, and the
 sympathy of the whole community is
 with the bereaved husband.

Gov. Johnson,
 Gopher Capitol.
 Dear Sir:
 We know you need the money, but
 where did you get it?
 Yours truly,
 Burns.

There is nothing to be gained by
 being a knocker.

SPOTLIGHTS

Sunday's Attraction

Going up to the top of the list of
 great, big successes for the season,
 Jolly Grace Cameron and her big
 musical company in C. Herbert Kerr's
 latest success, "Little Dollie Dim-
 ples," with a cast of sixty people,
 carrying the entire production in-
 cluding electrical effects, to prettiest
 costumes seen in any production this
 season and more snappy music heard
 than in any other other production
 in the past three years. Miss Cam-
 eron will sing her famous song,
 "When Little Dollie Dimples Made
 a Hit" as sung by her for three sea-
 sons at the New York Casino in
 "Piff, Paff, Pouff." The cast in sup-
 port of Miss Cameron is one of the
 strongest seen in musical comedy for
 a long time, being such well known
 artists as Miss Daisy King, Miss
 Florence Langdon Tempest, Miss
 Phoebe and Jessie Cardowine, Mr.
 Al Lawrence, the mimic and man
 with a hundred faces; Mr. Will Phil-
 brick, the famous comedian; the well
 known Elm City quartet, and the
 greatest musical act in America, the
 Criterion Musical Four. During the
 performance Miss Cameron will also
 sing many of the latest songs by the
 author of this play, written especial-
 ly for her, such as "Good-Bye Dear
 Old Home," "I'm An Awful Bore,"
 "I'm So Very Shy," and the duet, "In
 Days Gone By," assisted by Louis
 London, the baritone singer, and one
 of the biggest hits of the season.
 Sunday's attraction.

Here for a Week

The Flints are to come here for a
 week. This is the best opportunity
 that our readers will have to shake
 off the blues and thoroughly enjoy
 a hearty laugh. Everyone who comes
 away from an entertainment given
 by the Flints, does so completely
 satisfied. For the laughter is genu-
 ine, and there is no trace of any-
 thing coarse or low in it. The open-
 ing date is Monday, May 4, one lady
 admitted free with a 30-cent ticket.

FROM THE WASTE PAPER BASKET

The Strawberry, Rather—
 It is a sure sign of spring when
 you quit counting the strawberries
 in your shortage at the restaurant.
 —Appleton Crescent.

And He Has a Young Wife—
 Senator Depew attributes his
 health to not eating beef, if the
 price continues to soar this will be
 the healthiest nation on earth.—Mon-
 roe Journal.

For a Russo-Spanish War—
 Russian statesmen are in favor of
 a large navy. There is a pretty fair
 sized one at the bottom of the sea
 just off the oriental coast that they
 might use.—Madison Democrat.

Boosting For Oil Trust—
 Congressman Kuesterman has fig-
 ured out that congress costs the
 country \$150 a minute. At that
 rate it would seem the government
 could be run cheaper on gasoline
 than hot air.—Madison Journal.

He's a Mollycoddle—
 "Football toughness," says Presi-
 dent Eliot, "is not the kind of tough-
 ness which is most profitable in af-
 fairs of life." But Harvard would greatly
 enjoy a paramount toughness on the
 various athletic fields in earlier life.
 —Racine Times.

Almost John D.'s Income—
 The world's daily output of gold is
 \$1,000,000, yet the claim is made
 that a dollar is invested for every
 dollar secured. If some political
 economist will devise a plan to save
 the dollar, the mines might rest in-
 definitely.—Janesville Gazette.

STILL TINKERING THE CURRENCY

(Free Press)

Senator Aldrich is not going to
 have any of the credit for a currency
 measure, even to the extent of having
 his name hyphenated with Represen-
 tative Vreeland's, if Vreeland can
 help it. The latter is at work on a
 substitute measure, which will leave
 out all of the distinctive features of
 the Aldrich bill, which originally pro-
 vided for an emergency currency to
 be based on the bonds of railroads
 and latterly those of states, counties
 and municipalities. Mr. Vreeland's
 present purpose is to cut out all such
 securities, and provide a new curren-
 cy scheme by the creation of national
 clearing houses having authority to
 issue circulating notes based on their
 general assets which are to be de-
 posited with the clearing houses for
 the purpose.

This is a scheme, for certain. Such
 a currency will be an asset currency,
 and a system of clearing house cer-
 tificates combined. There is evi-
 dently merit in it. It is not a solu-
 tion of the question of a scientific
 currency, for which the commission
 of experts is asked by the president,
 and favored by many members of
 congress, and popularly by the coun-
 try.

Gounah Parker, the millionaire
 chief of the Comanches, was dis-
 cussing in Guthrie a new Indian
 bill.

"The bill is no good," said the
 chief. "It would not have any ef-
 fect. It reminds me of a young
 French lady in Washington."

"I was dining in Washington at
 an ambassador's house, and this
 young lady was the only female
 guest. An Italian duke wanted to
 tell an anecdote, but he hesitated."

"My story," he said, "is a very
 good one, but it is rather low in the
 neck, and before the young lady—"

"But she laughed and interrupted
 him."

"Oh, don't mind me!" she said.
 "I'll shut my eyes. Go on."—Phila-
 delphia Bulletin.

The man who builds his castle on
 the distress of a community is apt to
 discover in the end that it is an air
 castle.

JUST LIFE



The Ostrich Cuss.

Some sap-headed geezer has ap-
 parently amused himself by whack-
 ing an axe into the side of a number
 of hard maple shade trees about
 town, notably that handsome one in
 front of the M. E. parsonage and al-
 so one on the Targart corner. The
 same fool print marks are to be seen
 on that fine row of maples along Dr.
 Crawford's residence front. What-
 ever prompts such destructive acts is
 past all reasoning, but the one per-
 petrating them ought to be booted
 from one end of town to the other, in
 the hopes that the jolting might
 bring him to his senses.—Waukon
 (Ia.) Republican.

Flighty John's Flirtation.

John McCord has been studying
 astronomy from the tops of the wind-
 mills around here lately. Some days
 he has found a beauty on Mars that
 is just to his liking, and is now
 building an airship with which to
 press his suit in earnest. Good luck to
 you, John, and we hope this pretty
 Maritain may yet accomplish what
 all the other feminine earth beings
 have failed to do—convince you that
 it is not good to be alone.—Granger
 Items, Preston Times.

Went Too Fast for Him.

The newly appointed meter reader
 Timothy McCarthy, finding the du-
 ties of the office too strenuous, has
 resigned and the village board have
 appointed Peter Brimeyer to fill the
 vacancy.—Houston Signal.

Wrong But Hopeful.

The Recorder was misinformed
 last week regarding the marriage of
 Henry Gullard and Miss Anna Mel-
 by. They were not married, but the
 Recorder hopes they will soon be and
 thus make its word good.—Osseo Re-
 corder.

—W. V. K.

FASHION HINTS

By MAY MANTON



6970 Skirt with Tucked Flounce,
 22 to 30 waist.

(Skirt With Tucked Flounce in
 Pointed Outline.)

Flounce skirts are always pretty
 and always charming in this mater-
 ial and just now, when almost every-
 thing fashionable answers to that
 description, they are in great de-
 mand. This one is adapted both to
 the lovely lingerie fabrics and also
 to the thin silks and light weight
 wools which are treated in lingerie
 style, so that it becomes very gen-
 erally useful. In this instance embroi-
 dered batiste is trimmed with Valen-
 ciennes lace and the lace is, perhaps,
 one of the best materials for wash-
 ble gowns. Were the model utilized
 for the thin silks such as crepe de
 chine, messaline and the like or for
 tulle, or one of the pretty
 tissues the banding could be lace,
 embroidery or applique as liked.

The skirt is made with nine gores,
 which are pointed at their lower ed-
 ges and joined to the flounce, which
 is shaped to fit, and tucked at the up-
 per edge. Each of the front and side
 gores is tucked at its center and the
 trimming is arranged over the seams
 and over the lower edge of the
 flounce.

The quantity of material required
 for the medium size is 8 1/2 yards 24
 inches wide with 20 yards of insertion.

The pattern 6970 is cut in sizes for
 a 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 inch waist
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 address by the Fashion Department
 of this paper on receipt of ten cents.
 (If in haste send an additional
 cent stamp for letter postage, which
 insures more prompt delivery.)

HAPPY EFFECT OF ONE INJUNC- TION.

(New York Times.)

According to a dispatch from Pen-
 sacola "the issuance of an injunction
 by the United States court directed
 against striking street railway em-
 ployes and their sympathizers had a
 salutary effect. The city is quiet to-
 day. Additional troops arrived this
 morning." So long as injunctions
 merely preserve order, and protect
 property, and keep the status unal-
 tered pending the determination of
 right, there will be found those who
 prefer the injunctions to the strikes
 without the injunction palliative.

THE PAUPER

OF PARK
 LANE
 By
 William
 Le
 Queux

"But if the doctor is really still
 alive, what have you to fear?"
 "Is he alive? That is the point."
 "Marion gives me to understand
 that both he and Maud are safe,"
 Max responded quickly.

The other shook his head dubiously,
 saying, "If she has told you that,
 then it is exactly contrary to what
 she has given me to understand."

"What? She has expressed a sus-
 picion of foul play?"
 "Yes—more than a suspicion."

"Well—this is certainly strange,"
 Max declared. "Marion has all along
 been trying to allay my fears."

"Because she feared to upset you,
 perhaps. With me it is different. She
 does not mind my feelings."

"I'm sure she does, Charlie. She's
 devoted to you. And she ought to
 be. Few brothers would do what
 you have done."

"That's quite outside the ques-
 tion," he said quickly pacing anx-
 iously up and down the room. "She
 told me distinctly the other day that
 her fears were of the worst."

"Ah! if you could only induce her
 to tell us what Maud confessed to
 her. It was a confession—a serious
 and tragic one, I believe."

"Yes. It was no doubt; and if
 she would only speak we could, I be-
 lieve, quickly get at the truth," Rolfe
 said. "To me it seems incredible
 that the doctor, your most intimate
 friend, should not have found some
 secret manner by which to commu-
 nicate with you, and assure you of his
 safety."

There was a pause. Suddenly
 Max turned to the speaker and ex-
 claimed—
 "Tell me, Charlie. Be perfectly
 frank with me. Have you, do you
 think, at any time recently given
 some cause for offense to the doc-
 tor?"

"Why do you ask that?" inquired
 the other in quick surprise.

"I have my reasons for asking. I'll
 tell you after you've answered my
 question."

"I don't know," he laughed uneas-
 ily. "Some men, and especially for-
 eigners, are very easily offended."

"But have you offended the Doc-
 tor?"

"Perhaps. A man never knows
 when he gives unintentional of-
 fence."

"Are you aware of having done
 anything to offend him?"

"No, except that Maud asked me
 not to visit there so often, as her
 father did not approve of it."

"Did she ever tell you that the
 Doctor had suddenly entertained a
 dislike of you?"

"Certainly not. I always believed
 that he was very friendly disposed to-
 wards me. But—well—why do you
 ask all this?"

"I merely ask for information."
 "Of course, but you promised to
 tell me the reason."

"Well, the fact is this. On the af-
 ternoon prior to their disappearance,
 the Doctor expressed feelings to-
 wards you that were not exactly
 friendly. It seemed to me that he
 had formed some extraordinary pre-
 judice. Fathers do this often to-
 wards the men who love their daugh-
 ters, you know. They are sometimes
 apt to be over-cautious, with the re-
 sult that the girl loses a very good
 chance of marriage," he added.

"I've known several similar cases."
 "Well," said Charlie thoughtfully,
 "that's quite new to me. I had flat-
 tered myself that the Doctor was
 very well disposed towards me. This
 is quite a revelation!"

"Didn't Maud ever tell you?"
 "Not a word."

"She feared, of course, to hurt
 your feelings. It was quite natural.
 She loves you."

"If what we fear be true, you
 should put your words into the past
 tense, Max," was his reply in a hard
 voice. Barclay knew that his friend
 loved the sweet-faced girl with the
 stray, unruly wisps of hair which fell
 always across her white brow and
 gave her such a piquante appearance.

And if he loved her so well, was it
 possible that he could have been au-
 thor of, or implicated, in a foul and
 secret crime?

Recollection of that dress-bodice
 with the ugly stain still wet upon it
 flashed upon him. Was it not itself
 circumstantial evidence that some
 terrible crime had been committed?

The man before him denied all

COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

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RAY VAUGHN TO BE
BURIED SUNDAY

The funeral of Ray Vaughn, who was killed while attempting to pass between two box cars, is to be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the Caledonia street M. E. church. Rev. A. L. Wood, pastor, will officiate with William Dwyer in charge of the arrangements. Interment will be made at the Oak Grove cemetery.

SIX O'CLOCK DINNER.

A number of the friends of Harry O'Brien were entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner at his home, 1643 Kane street, Wednesday evening. Those present were Howard Ryan, Leslie Derr, Archie Larson, Walter Henderson, Harry Gatterdam, Jack Callahan and Hugh Moss.

SWEET CORN, per can	6c
STANDARD TOMATOES, 3 lb. can	10c
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NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mrs. M. Hires of Lynxville has returned to her home after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. Heslip, 2130 Wood street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Heslip have returned to their home on Wood street after a few days' visit with relatives and friends in Sparta.

Mr. R. C. Caya of Rock Island has moved to La Crosse and will reside at 2337 Loomis street.

Charles Hom of St. James street, who was but recently able to leave the hospital, is doing nicely and is about. Mr. Hom had an operation on his leg.

Miss Emma Mackelson of French Island is ill at her home with inflammatory rheumatism. Dr. Lueck is attending her.

Mr. Frank Morley of Charles street, who underwent an operation at the La Crosse hospital recently, is gradually improving.

The New Century hive of the Maccareses are to give a card party and dance at the Rose street Union hall this evening.

Mrs. Clara Roggensack of Lansing is a guest at the home of Mrs. Philip Roggensack, 1610 George street.

Will Ellison of 1606 George street has accepted a position as motorman for the La Crosse City Railway company.

Miss Mae Mace has returned to her home in Savanna after spending a few days in this city as the guest of Mrs. Welch, 231 Mill street and with Mrs. M. Sullivan.

Mrs. T. Allen has as her guest Mrs. Ed Rippe of Lansing, Iowa.

G. W. Wolfe, formerly operator at Grand Crossing, and who was recently stationed at Savanna, is moving his family from Loomis street to their new home in Lansing, Iowa.

Mrs. C. Maloney delivered a lecture on health at the Caledonia street M. E. church this afternoon.

The B. B. D. club of the Caledonia street M. E. church was entertained this evening by Miss Marie Simcock at her home, 818 Rose street.

ADJOURN MEETINGS
UNTIL SEPTEMBER

Owing to the inclemency of the weather few attended the meeting of the Franklin club last night and the debate was not held.

The meeting of the club was the last that will be held for some time, the club adjourning until the first Thursday in September.

THE LA CROSSE TRIBUNE

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NURSES SON; DIES
FROM THE DISEASE

WILLIAM KUSCHE COULD NOT STAND SMALLPOX

CONTRACTED IT FROM BOY

Son Acts as Father Had, as Nurse, But Is Now on High Road to Complete Recovery

As a result of confining himself with his son, while the latter was ill with smallpox and taking care of him during his entire illness, William Kusche, 1615 Avon street, contracted the disease himself, and is dead. The son, William Kusche Jr., was taken ill some time ago and at that time was removed to the house at 1618 Avon street, where he was placed under quarantine. The father stayed with his son and was his constant nurse during his long illness. When the boy was on the road to recovery the strain under which the old man had been laboring for so long, told on him and the disease set in, with the fatal result. The son, by the time the father was taken ill, was able to act as nurse and took the position his father held while he was ill.

The funeral services which were conducted by the Rev. E. O. Vik of the Charles street Lutheran church, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the residence, 1615 Avon street, although the body remained at the house at 1618 Avon street. After the services the body was taken from the latter place to the Oak Grove cemetery where interment was made.

Mr. Kusche was well known on the North side and had many friends there who will mourn his loss. He was 72 years of age and was born in Germany, coming to this country at an early age. He is survived by a widow and six children. Mr. Kusche was a member of Co. A, 11th Minnesota Infantry and served during the war of the rebellion and was discharged with an honorable record.

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MILWAUKEE ROAD
TO USE 'PHONES

Official announcement has been made in Savanna that the C. M. & St. P. Railway company is preparing to this summer install a system of telephonic communications between stations on that road located between Savanna and Chicago. The stations thus equipped will number about 40.

The statement is made that the telegraph operators will act as telephone operators and that no reduction in force will take place. Only train orders will be given over the telephone. It is believed that owing to the much greater expediency of the telephone the innovation will prove exceptionally successful.

In stormy or foggy weather the climatic conditions materially affect the highly charged telegraph wires while the less sensitive telephone connections are not charged. By the use of the telephone such delays as are now experienced on this account are expected to be done away with and orders transmitted with far greater speed, ease and safety to the traveling public.

The Milwaukee will soon install a double copper circuit line between Savanna and Chicago and Chicago and Milwaukee. Until an ample test has been given the system will not be extended.

All phones will connect direct the train dispatcher's office and that official will be in position to connect immediately with any station at any time.

TO REMODEL SHOP

Dan Moore, the St. Cloud street blacksmith, is making plans for improving his shop and work will start Monday. It is the intention to improve the building, build new chimneys and generally remodel the shop.

ENTERTAINS FRIENDS.

Miss Lennora Simon was pleasantly surprised at her home, 2038 Wood street, Wednesday afternoon by a large number of her friends. The afternoon was spent in an enjoyable manner, dancing and music furnishing the diversion. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Della Black, Gladys Shaeley, Stella Sheeley, Elda Anderson, Esther Thorsen, Mable Anderson, Ethel Butts, Mary Morris, Grace Peterman, Gertrude Peterman, Louise Brown, Julius Simon, Helen Leinson, Leo Simingson, Tom Knight, Henry Heslip, Peter Kisselbach, Edwin Dolby, Algie Peass, John Higgins, John Allen and Edward Leinson.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends who assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother, Andrew Olson, and especially the young men who sent flowers, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

THE FAMILY.

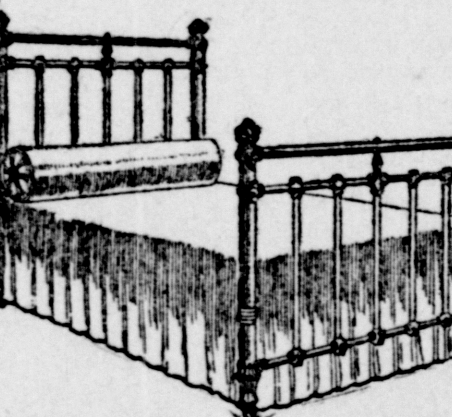
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SPECIAL SERVICES
AT CHRIST CHURCH

A woman said to the rector in going out of the church after the close of service last evening that "she had not missed a service and was so thankful that she had had the great privilege of the mission. This is the general feeling among those who have attended these meetings. In spite of the weather the congregation was as large as that on Wednesday evening.

The preacher gave a magnificent discourse on the text: "For unto every one that hath shall be given and he shall have more abundance; but from him that hath not shall be taken away even that which he hath."

The text was illustrated by the "parable of the talents." He said each and everyone has at least one talent and it is the splendid and useful talent of Christian influence. If the members of the congregation all made the most of this wonderful talent, the result would be a far reaching power for Christ and a more Christian La Crosse.

The instruction was a masterly exposition of baptism as the only means of entrance into the Kingdom of God. There is an increasing interest in the question box. A number of interesting questions were asked last evening and they received most able treatment and most satisfactory answers. Tonight is the last of the week day services and will be most interesting to all those who are anxious to learn of the higher and better things of life. The members of the congregation are requested to place in the question box, at the door, before the beginning of service, requests for prayer as well as the questions. No name is to be signed to those requests as all of the "petitioners are known to God and no one else need know them." On Sunday morning there will be morning prayer at 10:45 with the Rev. Shaylor as special preacher. In the afternoon at 3:15 there will be a special service for men. The members of the Y. M. C. A. will cooperate with Rev. Shaylor in the effort to make this service a great suc-

HAAKEN HOVDE, A
PIONEER, IS DEAD

VENERABLE RESIDENT OF THE NORTH SIDE EXPIRES

OLD AGE CAUSE OF DEATH

Came Here From Norway at Early Age and Has Lived in La Crosse for Many Years

Haakon Hovde, aged 79, one of the oldest and best known residents of the North side, passed away at his home, 1928 Charles street, yesterday afternoon. Death was caused by the infirmities of old age.

The deceased was born in Norway in 1824 and came to this country while still a young man. He has resided at different points in the northwest, but a large portion of his time was spent in La Crosse. He is survived by a widow and six children. The children are: Halvor, Michael and Gena of La Crosse, Haakon Jr., who is at present in the northern part of the state, Sever, of Skybo, Minn., and Mrs. Torkelson of Brooklyn, N. Y.

The funeral is to be held Saturday from the residence, the Rev. E. O. Vik officiating. Interment will be made at the Oak Grove cemetery. A. & O. Sletten have charge of the arrangements.

GRAND THEATRE
GROWING POPULAR

The moving picture craze is booming in La Crosse and every evening the different moving picture shows in the city are crowded. The Grand theatre, opposite the Bijou, which opened recently, has already become a leader with patrons of the moving picture shows, and is making a hit with the entire change of program every day. The program at this theatre is changed daily and illustrated songs are rendered by Miss Shackley of La Crosse.

The program at the theatre tonight will be "Hooligan of the West and Save the Pieces." This is a comic film and keeps the audience in an uproar from the time it starts until "good night" is slipped on. "The First Dinner at His Father-in-Law's" is another that is both interesting and amusing. "Gulfed in the Quick Sand" is very thrilling.

The illustrated songs are "Don't Worry" and "Swinging in the Old Oak Swing."

DEBATE TONIGHT.
The Duve Debating society meets at the Upsall's on Charles street this evening. The debate will be carried over from last time and the discussion continued.

cess. Sunday evening there will be a grand closing service when it is expected that one of the largest congregations ever in Christ church will be in attendance.

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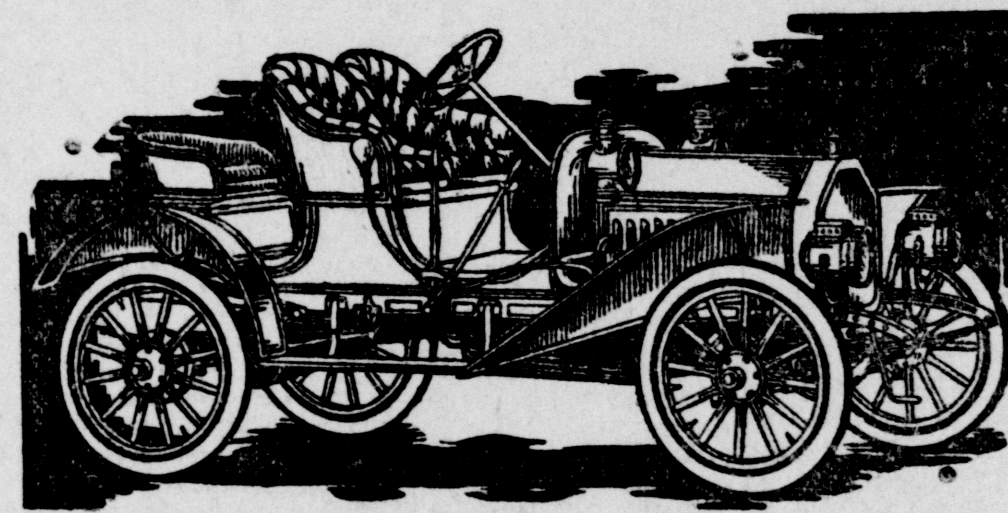
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RELATIVES SUSPECT FOUL PLAY IN DEATH

THINK THAT JOHN FLOWERS WAS VICTIM OF MURDER

CORONER REFUSED INQUEST

Said Old Man Was Subject to "Sinking Spells" and That it Was This That Caused His Death

Whether James Flowers met death at his home in New Albin, Ia., from natural causes or was a victim of foul play is a question that has bothered some of the relatives of the deceased. At the time he was found dead it was given out that he had died suddenly. Some of the relatives became suspicious of certain circumstances surrounding the death and demanded an investigation. The coroner, however, was disinclined to hold an inquest, he claiming that the old man was subject to "sinking spells" and that this was undoubtedly the cause of his death. The funeral was held Monday from the Catholic church at Lansing.

Company I and the 53rd Regiment band have been mustered out at Waukon.

Over 16,000 brook trout have been planted in the streams tributary to Waukon.

The La Crosse bunch of homecoming "boosters" report that they have organized and will wage a strenuous campaign from now on. Attorney F. E. Withrow has been selected as their secretary and he says it is the committee's idea at present to secure as big a list of former Lansing people as it is possible to do and urge them to attend.

Mrs. T. H. Bakewell entertained the ladies of the Birthday club on Wednesday afternoon at her home on Main street.

Frank Nachtweg was a Dubuque visitor over Sunday.

Wednesday morning at the First Presbyterian church in this city occurred the marriage of Mr. Wm. Riddle of New Albin to Miss Maggie Pierce of this place, Rev. Engstrom officiating.

Chas. Colisch of Waukon was a guest of Dr. Meyer's family Wednesday.

W. H. Richle left Tuesday for Peoria, Ill., on a business trip.

The marriage of Miss Alty Patterson and Will McKee is announced for May 4.

Dr. Gable of New Albin was in the city Wednesday.

Father Ryan of New Albin was here Saturday.

Supervisor Ole Penna of Elton was here on business Saturday.

M. J. Hart of Waterville was in town last week.

M. Whalen spent Sunday in La Crosse with his son Edward.

Mrs. A. Nielander leaves soon for a trip to Germany in company with her daughter, Mrs. J. Chrischilles and family of Algona, Ia.

Isabel Wittbecker is visiting in St. Paul.

Frank Nachtweg and Dick Dunlevy were over Sunday visitors in Dubuque.

Fred Intlekofer who has had charge of the depot here for a year, has returned to Waukon Junction.

RACINE PEOPLE ARE NEARLY SUFFOCATED

RACINE, Wis., May 1.—Half the consumers of gas in this city came near to being suffocated. The trouble was caused by one of the men at the works shutting off the wrong valve. When he turned it on again the houses were filled with gas where burners were open. Many were made sick, but not seriously.

SENT SON ON LOST SHIP

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 1.—With his chorus girl daughter-in-law, Daisy Fair of New York, threatening to sue him for alienation of affections, William Henry Fritz, a millionaire lumberman of Berwyn, today admitted that he had sent his son, Henry Percival Fritz, to his death in an effort to separate him from his wife. The son, he said, had been shipped by him on the lost vessel Arthur Seawall, which was last heard of as she sailed from Honolulu more than a year ago bound for this port. In maritime circles the craft has been recorded as "lost, with all on board."

"I did not know that the trip would end in the death of my son," declared the wealthy father this afternoon, in his offices in the Crosier building, this city. "But after he married that chorus girl, I was determined to rid him of the footholds forever. He was strongly attached to her, so the only way I thought I could force a separation successfully was to have him on board the lost vessel. He had no sea experience, so he had to assume the position of cabin boy."

GIZYCKI AND WIFE OUT.

VIENNA, May 1.—All negotiations have been broken off that looked to a reconciliation of Count Gizycki and his wife, daughter of R. W. Patterson, owner of the Chicago Tribune. Lawyers, representing the count and countess, vainly held several consultations, which lasted far into the night. The countess's lawyer started on his return to Paris early this morning.

So far from the report of a reconciliation of the couple being true, there is now little hope that they will reach even an understanding.

The dispute between the pair centers around their young daughter. The count keeps the girl hidden and her whereabouts is a profound secret for the count fears his wife will try to abduct the girl.

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THINK

Of our Guarantee—money back always if not satisfied.

THINK

Now of the L. System Suits—the foremost fads for dressy chaps.

THINK

Of the exclusive patterns and distinctive styles of our suits.

THINK

How people shop around, but always come back to this store, this is sufficient evidence of our prestige as La Crosse's leading Clothiers—a distinction we are proud of.

THINK

Of all the advantages gained by trading at La Crosse's largest Clothing Store.

THINK

Now, while looking over the clothing advertisements of tonight's Tribune, how clothing is misrepresented. That what is said of the \$25 Suits is said of the \$10 Suits. We ask you to think over the "Clothes Question thoroughly; we want you to know where the real quality store is located. We are not fools enough to think that you're fool enough to believe that we give you \$20 worth of value for \$10; we want you to know that you receive just what you are entitled to—more than the other stores can give you, namely—better clothes at prices lower than quoted elsewhere. Ponder over it.

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HEALTH OFFICER ADVISES CAUTION

PEOPLE SHOULD FUMIGATE BEFORE ENTERING HOUSE

DISEASE CLINGS FOR YEARS

Anton Murphy Says Effort Will Be Made to Improve the Sanitary Conditions This Summer

With the approach of summer and the number of families changing their dwellings, the sanitary conditions that are prevalent is called to the attention of Health Officer Anthony M. Murphy, by the state health officer at the capital.

In speaking of the matter today, Mr. Murphy stated that during the past few weeks he has been working on the questions cited by the state authorities and he mentions an instance in one residence in the

city, where numerous families have resided, has been subject to disease for a number of years, due to the fact that when parties move into the house the place was not fumigated. If the place was properly fumigated there would be no unsanitary conditions.

"When a house is vacated," said Mr. Murphy, "it should be immediately fumigated and in case any germs of diseases such as tuberculosis, which is easily contracted, be present, they would be exterminated and not put new tenants in danger."

Another condition that is now being examined by the health officer is that of basements in wholesale as well as retail stores.

"In many basements of the city food stuffs are stored and the sanitary conditions prevailing are not up to the standard," said Mr. Murphy. "I have examined several of them and notified the owners that they must change the conditions and I expect to make a second visit soon, and if the matter is not attended to other means will be taken."

"One thing more," continued Mr. Murphy, "that the La Crosse people should have their attention called to, is the care of garbage. Starting today the garbage wagons will be on their daily visits and the men have been notified that unless proper

"WHITE BUTTONERS" CREATOR MARRIES



DES MOINES, Ia., May 1.—At the age of 86 years, Hon. L. S. Coffin of Port Dodge, organizer of the "White Buttoners," a railwaymen's temperance organization to which he has contributed at his own cost, \$5,000 worth of buttons, has married. It is the result of a romance. His bride, nee Mrs. Nellie Ingalls of Detroit, Mich., was 16 years ago with her first husband, associated as superintendent of the home for disabled railway men at Arlington Heights, of which Mr. Coffin was president. Following the death of her husband, Mrs. Ingalls moved to Detroit, where she resided until her wedding recently to Mr. Coffin.

CASINOS WIN THE 9-PIN CHAMPIONSHIP

At the St. Joseph school bowling alleys Tuesday evening the Casino bowling team defeated the St. Leo club by a total of 1200 pins. The contest was started some time ago and consisted of four games, two being rolled on each alley and the total number of pins in the four contests being compared to select the winner. The Casino club were victors in the contest having a total of 150 pins over their opponents. The Casinos have the championship of nine pin bowling in the city.

CORTELYOU N. Y. GOVERNOR

ALBANY, N. Y., May 1.—Republican politicians here have a program for the republican state convention and for the political future of Gov. Hughes. The importance of the program, if it has any, lies in the fact that President Roosevelt is said to be the author of the plan which is as follows:

Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou is to be nominated for governor. Speaker Wadsworth is to have the second place on the ticket. Gov. Hughes is to be forced to accept the nomination for the vice presidency or quit official life.

The governor has spurned the vice-presidency suggestion, it is said.

ARREST MRS. LONGWORTH

WASHINGTON, April 30.—Police-man Morris of the Sixth district today tried to get Mrs. Nicholas Longworth "pinched" for violating the speed law. Assistant Corporation Counsel Fugh, when asked for a warrant or information against the president's daughter, declined because the violation was not a flagrant one.

TO HAVE MUNICIPAL COURT

REMDJJI, Minn., May 1.—The city of Bemidji will have a municipal court, beginning the first day of August, 1908, and continuing thereafter and from that date. The court was created by a resolution at a meeting of the city council held last night.

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LOUIS LONDON (Baritone)

FRANK RUSSELL, (Musical Specialty)

WM. RUSSELL, (Bass Soloist)

EMMA KING, (Russian Dancer)

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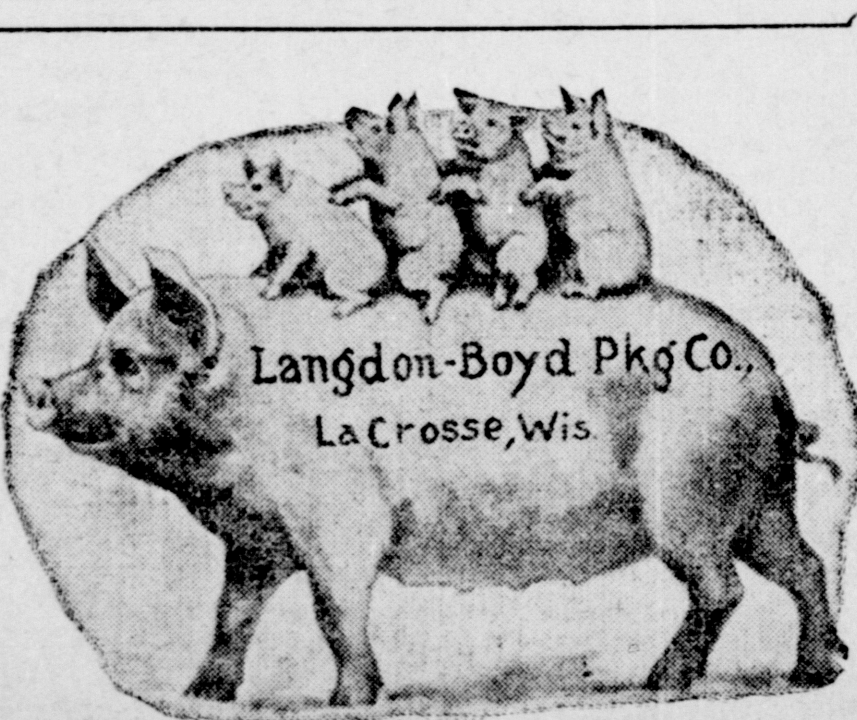
Ladies Free Monday as Usual

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Seats Reserved at Theatre Candy Store Tomorrow.

CROOKSTON SEEKS MEETING.

CROOKSTON, Minn., May 1.—The Sons of Norway lodge of Crookston will make a big effort at the grand lodge meeting to be held in St. Paul on June 10 next to get the next meeting in 1909 for Crookston. T. Randers and James Tronrud were chosen delegates from this lodge.



THE BUSINESS SOLD FOR \$20,000

HODGE & BRADBURY SELL OUT THEIR BUSINESS

EXPERIENCED MEN SUCCEED

I. S. Hollenbeck of Alma Center and J. C. F. Morgan of New Albin Will be the New Proprietors

One of the largest business deals that has taken place for some time occurred this morning when the City Livery, owned by Messrs. George R. Hodge and J. M. Bradbury was sold to I. S. Hollenbeck, Jr., and J. C. F. Morgan. The consideration is in the neighborhood of \$20,000.

The livery business of Hodge & Bradbury, which is now considered one of the largest in the city and is one of the best known firms in this section, has grown from a small concern to the present well known business. The new proprietors are both well equipped in the business, having for a number of years past taken a great interest in the livery business and being entirely at home with the work.

Mr. Hollenbeck, the senior member of the firm, was formerly proprietor of the Park hotel at Alma Center and was one of the best known horsemen in that section, having had several fast steppers on his line, and he intends to add a number of horses to the already well known list owned by the Messrs. Hodge and Bradbury.

Mr. Morgan, who has resided at New Albin, is well known in the city, having executed a number of deals in horse flesh about the city, and through his fairness has gained a wide reputation. The new members are planning to remove their families to the city and will take up the business immediately.

Mr. Hodge when seen today regarding his intentions for the future stated that at present he was undecided. "I intend to remain in La Crosse and will take a much needed rest before taking any steps for the future."

Mr. Bradbury is also undecided as to his future business but intends to remain in La Crosse and follow his partner's example and take a rest from active work for some time, having no business prospects in view at present.

The deal, which was consummated through S. L. Bovee, Jr., of New Albin, includes the entire stock of horses, carriages and other accessories about the barn. The building still remains the property of D. J. Cameron.

The new proprietors do not contemplate any changes at the present otherwise than adding to the number of horses in the barn. They expect to annex about twenty-five head.

TODAY HUNDREDS OF SALOONS CLOSE

CHICAGO, May 1.—This is "black Friday" instead of May Day for hundreds of saloons are closed in Chicago. Just now many will close their doors before night is not known, but the number is estimated at 1,000, a much greater number than closed on the opening of any previous license period. Under the law it is necessary for a saloon keeper to get the signatures of a majority of the residents living within a radius of several blocks of the place before he can secure a new license. It is believed this will drive out several hundred in Chicago before night. Between today and May 21st, when the last saloon voted out in the recent elections closed, 1,500 Illinois saloons will quit business.

New England Is Drier.

BOSTON, Mass., May 1.—A big shake up in the liquor traffic occurred today throughout New England. Laws went into effect which for the most part mean considerable advancement in the cause of temperance. In Massachusetts six cities and 36 towns close up 210 licensed places. In Vermont only 27 cities and towns will legalize the sale of liquor as compared with 92 five years ago. In New Hampshire the druggists' licenses throughout the state will be abolished.

Michigan Closes Saloons.

DETROIT, May 1.—As a result of the prohibitionists' winning in ten counties in the recent election, 241 saloons did not open their doors today. About 200 saloons also failed to open in Detroit because of the promise of the brewers to reduce the number of saloons in order to stop stringent regulation measures by the council.

ST. PAUL MURDERER DIES IN PRISON

STILLWATER, Minn., May 1.—Nicholas Kill, life sentence for murder in the first degree, died in the state prison hospital from apoplexy and cerebral hemorrhage. He had been in the prison hospital for a year.

The murderer never seemed to realize that he had committed a crime and always has smiled when the crime was mentioned. When he was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge William Louis Kelly of the Ramsey county district court, he remarked: "Well, I will always have a place to sleep and something to eat as long as I live."

DUCKS IN MARSH

The marsh between the north and south sides is full of ducks which have been there during the last two days. Owing to the fact that it is against the law to shoot them in the spring. They haven't been molested.

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PETTINGILL AND BOLLES ELECTED

WILL ACT WITH OLTMAN FOR AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL

\$50,000 IS APPROPRIATED

Supervisors Finally Get Around New Rule and Make Issue Legal—Advisory Committee Appointed

Before the adjournment of the county board yesterday afternoon, J. L. Pettingill of La Crosse and F. I. Bolles of West Salem were elected as members of the special county school board. Together with County Superintendent of Schools B. F. Oltman, they will constitute the board which will have charge of the new agricultural and manual training school, which will be located at Onalaska.

There was an understanding that there would be one member from the city and one from the country. The ballot which was taken gave Bolles 25, Roesler 6, Jones 2, Burdick 1, and Dolan 1. Mr. Bolles was then elected by acclamation. Mr. Pettingill was elected unanimously. The members will be paid at the rate of \$3 per day for the work they do for the school. They will serve for a term of three years.

\$50,000 Voted. A resolution to bond the county for \$50,000 was passed after being reported favorably upon by the committee in charge of the appropriations. A resolution was also passed providing for a special advisory committee to superintend the erection of the school. Supervisors Baker, McHugh, Aiken and Nelson were appointed by Chairman Keppel.

Decrease Jail Allowance. The board passed a resolution to decrease the pay for the board of the prisoners from 50 to 40 cents a day. The decrease to take effect on June 1. This is a rather radical change, as the actual price of food and provisions is not decreased in proportion to the drop in the allowance. The action was taken by the board to cut down the expense.

WOULD DESTROY BIG CLUB

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 1.—A diabolical attempt was made shortly before midnight to destroy the palatial quarters of the Phoenix club by placing in the main entrance an infernal machine. Frank J. Buegel, steward, had his left hand blown off. The police believe it is the work of anarchists.

COACH QUITS U. OF W.

MADISON, Wis., May 1.—(Special.)—Emmett Angell, Wisconsin basketball coach, today tendered his resignation to the faculty, to accept full charge of the physical training department of the state agricultural school in Oregon. He will leave Madison this summer.

PARENTS ARRESTED TOO.

EASTON, Pa., May 1.—Henry Smith and his wife, parents of little Irene May Smith, who was trampled to death by her uncle, Robert Bachman, as a sacrifice to his religious sect, were arrested yesterday charged with aiding in her murder. Bachman was charged directly with the murder and his wife was arrested on the same charge as the Smiths.

NEW POSTMASTERS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—Presidential nominations of postmasters: Illinois—A. W. Fletcher, Highland Park; Fred O. Munn, La Grange; John Murvin, Louisville. Iowa—S. H. Hall, Lime Springs; P. S. Narum, Kaukaun. Nebraska—L. V. Styles, St. Edward.

NIGHT RIDERS IN OHIO

DAYTON, Ohio, May 1.—Farmers for miles around are aroused today over what they believe to be the work of night riders in shedding fire to an immense tobacco shed on the farm of Ora McCarter at West Milton last night. Twenty thousand pounds of tobacco were consumed by flames. The sheds were saturated with oil.

WOODSHED BURNS

Fire department No. 3 was called about 2:45 this afternoon to extinguish a fire at the home of Robert Fritz, 816 South Eighth street. The fire partly destroyed a woodshed, causing about \$25 damage.

MOVEMENT OF BOATS

The steamer Hershey with her bow boat and the steamer Rutledge with her bow boat passed through the draw up river yesterday afternoon. The pleasure steamer Ellen owned by W. W. Cargill went down yesterday.

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CRAZY SEXTON HAS RIOT TENDENCIES

WEIGHS 250 POUNDS AND WRECKS CHURCH FIXTURES

MAN SAYS HE IS MAD

Knows Condition and Warns Folk to Keep Away From Him—Came to Town in Violence

MADISON, Wis., May 1.—(Special.)—Cornelius Henrikson, the heavyweight sexton of the West Koshkonong United Lutheran church near Stoughton, was brought to Madison today by Deputy Sheriffs Kanouse and Erdahl, to be examined as to his sanity. Henrikson's aberration took a serious and violent turn last Sunday, when he cast the big congregation assembled for the morning worship into a panic. Striding up the aisle, he whipped the heavy baptismal font from its pedestal, kicked it down one aisle and up the other exclaiming, "I am kicking the font to hell." Men of the congregation sought to interfere, but he chased them out of doors. Women and children screamed and the congregation got out of the building as best it could, by several exits.

The next day Henrikson dug a grave for the remains of a man who had died a few days before, but when the mourners assembled at the last services he drove them away, saying, "This is another road to hell." Apparently he realized the gravity of his condition, for the next day he told a neighbor, "I am insane now; don't come near me."

Henrikson weighs 250 pounds and easily a match for several men in strength, but last night he came to Madison peacefully to be examined by physicians.

Stoughton dispatches say Henrikson arrived in that city one day a year ago and created a disturbance in a restaurant, declaring it to be a house of ill repute. When Marshal Hanson placed him under arrest he said he had come to the city to assist the marshal in preserving law and order.

THIRD WARD AID SOCIETY ELECTS

The Third Ward Aid society last night at Union hall held their annual election of officers as follows:

President—John G. Kobitz.

Vice president—Julius G. Jaekel.

Recording secretary—William Rindler.

Financial secretary—Otto Manke.

Treasurer—John Schneberger.

Trustee 3 years—Henry Niebuhr, Sr.

Collector for South side—Adolph Oberlander.

Collector and controller for North side—Abe Pittenger.

Controller second district—Albert Ammer.

Controller for 3rd district—Geo. Otto.

Property man—Oscar Brown.

Marshal—Joseph Hentschell.

Flag bearer—Fred Loeffler.

FUNERAL OF MRS. DALTON TOMORROW

The funeral of Mrs. George Dalton will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 o'clock from the residence at 131 South Ninth street, Rev. J. S. Lowe officiating. The interment will be made in the Oak Grove cemetery with Tilman Brothers in charge.

Mrs. Dunlap of Indianapolis and Carl Dalton have arrived to attend the funeral of their mother.

EVELYN IN OBSCURITY.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Concealing her identity under the name of "Mrs. Fitzgerald," Evelyn Nesbit Thaw is understood to be enjoying the life of an obscure person for the first time since she became the central figure of the most noted murder trial of her generation. Her retreat is said to be an 8-room apartment house in the center of the upper west side, and not even her neighbors suspect her identity. To them Evelyn is said to be an object of interest only for the hats she has adopted.

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BELETED EASTER DANCE SATURDAY

The long looked for and beleted Easter dance given by the High School Athletic association comes off tomorrow evening at Coren's hall. Elaborate preparations have been made for the hop and if the expected crowd attends it will be a great success. This is not a "high society" dance but it will nevertheless be the event of the season as far as High school social functions go. The best of music will be had as the High school people are never satisfied with anything but the best. The tickets are out and a large number has already been disposed of. The dance is of course under the rules of the Parents' association and the dance committee has solemnly sworn that the festivities will break off promptly at twelve o'clock. In order to put in enough time to satisfy everybody it will begin one hour earlier than the accustomed time. This will probably be the last dance before the commencement exercises which come off in June.

Fine Track Material Turning Out.

The High school track team this year promises to be the fastest thing that ever donned spiked shoes. The material from the freshman classes is unusually good and several good men have developed for the meet. Last night sixteen men turned out for practice and did their stunts under the coaching of Prof. Benzet. It is expected at least five men will qualify for the state meet to be held at Madison in June and of this number the biggest percent is men who have had experience in former meets.

Big Delegation to Sparta.

This noon a large crowd of supporters followed the oratorical team to Sparta. A sharp contest is expected but the La Crosse boys are too good to beat and will give the Spartans a hard rub for the decision. Prof. Schubert has been putting the finishing touches to the speeches and the contestants feel confident that they will do better this year than they did at the last contest. Ben Stevens and Paul Esch are the ones on whom the High school places its confidence and they will accomplish what is expected of them.

GARFIELD CLASHES WITH JEFF DAVIS

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Secretary Garfield of the interior department and Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas had a sharp clash in the senate committee on Indian affairs, the upshot of the matter being that Mr. Garfield flatly refused to produce, on Mr. Davis' request, a memorandum of charges against certain judges of the Indian citizenship court in Oklahoma and certain government officials. Mr. Davis retorted that he would air the refusal on the floor of the senate.

"The senator, of course, is at liberty to state anything he pleases on the floor of the senate," declared Mr. Garfield, emphasizing "on the floor of the senate."

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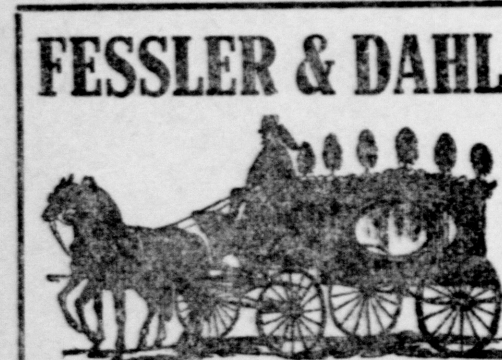
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Col. Holway Has Insisted on the
Marksmanship, and it is Now the
Best in the Country

Thursday, April 30, the Third Wisconsin infantry will be 25 years old. During the quarter of a century the regiment has been in existence it has advanced from a state of chaos to one of the best drilled regiments of the national guard of the country, and the best shooting regiment, man for man, in the United States, and this statement includes the regular army as well as the guard.

It was an old organization which general order No. 10 brought together twenty-five years ago. After the custom of the day each company had a name instead of a letter. The letter was assigned, however, upon organization. There appeared on the original muster roll Company A, Sheridan guards, Neillsville; Company B, Governor's guard La Crosse; Company C, La Crosse Light guard; Company D, Mauston Light guard; Company E, Germania guard, Waukesha; Company F, Guppy guard, Portage; Company G, Wausau Light guard; Company H, Ludington guard Menomonie.

Officers Elected
On May 3, 1883, the line officers of the Third met at La Crosse, and the regiment fully organized by the election of the following field, staff and non-commissioned staff officers: Martin T. Moore of La Crosse, who had previously commanded the Third battalion of infantry organized in 1881 and including Neillsville, La Crosse, two companies; Mauston and Unity, as lieutenant colonel, elected colonel; lieutenant colonel, B. F. Parker of Mauston; major T. J. George of Menomonie; surgeon (major), C. E. Rogers of La Crosse; assistant surgeon captain, J. B. Edwards of Mauston; adjutant, Louis Tillman of La Crosse; quartermaster, August Kickbush of Wausau; judge advocate (first lieutenant), R. J. McBride of Neillsville; commissary sergeant, John C. Britt of Portage; sergeant major, Alfred Metzler of La Crosse; quartermaster sergeant, G. K. Redmond of Neillsville; hospital steward, Charles Smitman of Neillsville; chief musician, W. H. Clifton of Menomonie.

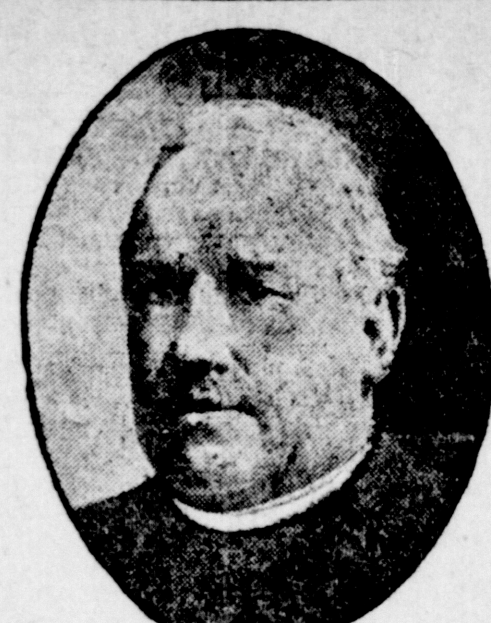
In 1884 Company I of Sparta and Company K of Tomah were mustered in, and two years later Eau Claire took the place of Company C of La Crosse. A year later Eau Claire was succeeded by the Hudson company. In 1888 Eau Claire again came in, taking the place of Wausau as Company F. In 1889 and 1901 respectively Companies L of Eau Claire and M of La Crosse were added. Company I of Superior was mustered out in 1895, and replaced by West Superior the same year. The year following Company L of Eau Claire was succeeded by Sparta.

Used to be Week of Frolic
The initial encampment of the regiment was held at Sparta in August, 1883. As near as I am able to find the program consisted of reveille, breakfast, guard mount, dinner, drill, supper, dress parade and taps. It was a good deal like all of the early encampments, a week's outing. Eight companies, each with a different uniform; with little knowledge of drill and less of shooting; with spiketail coats, and with every private knowing that the governor's name was the countersign on Governor's night, and that by yelling or whispering it over the point of the bayonet he was allowed to pass at the wee sma' hours. It was a week of feasting and frolic that was far different from the encampment of today, but it was the beginning of the molding of that raw organization into a disciplined body of soldiers which was prepared to answer the president's call at a moment's notice when war was declared.

There is one remarkable thing about the history of the Third. During its twenty-five years it has had but two leaders. Col. Moore headed the command from the day of its birth until it was mustered out of the United States service in January, 1899. Since that time Col. Orlando Holway has been its commanding officer. It is a record which stands alone in the Wisconsin guard. No doubt a record without equal in the country.

Having the senior colonel of the state in 1898 gave the Third some advantages over the other regiments. It was the first to leave Camp Harvey, Milwaukee, for Chickamauga. It was the first of the two Wisconsin regiments to entrain at Ringgold, Ga., for Charleston, although the Second Wisconsin was at the little Georgia station some two or three hours before Col. Moore's command. The two regiments left Charleston together, and were together in the fight at Coamo. At Alibonita the Third won the distinction of being the only Wisconsin regiment to lose a man in battle. There Corporal Oscar R. Swanson and Private Fred Vought of Company L were killed, and several wounded.

Splendid Shooting Record
It is with the use of the rifle that the Third has won more fame than in any other respect. I have seen orders sent out by Col. Holway reading, "If this regiment can not do another thing it must shoot," and shoot it has. In fairness to the other regiments it must be said that nature has slightly favored the Third, as natural ranges can be found in proximity to all of the armories in the western part of the state, a thing in which many of the eastern companies are handicapped. The men of the Third



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have taken advantage of the ranges and have put in many a long day in bringing up the shooting standard of the command, with the result that last year 82 per cent of the regiment qualified as marksmen or better, "course C." The records of the regiment show that it possessed 114 experts, 118 sharpshooters, 451 marksmen, 72 first class, 44 second class, 35 third class and no fourth class men (men who have not fired at all.) It is the only regiment in the state having none of the latter class. With a figure of merit of 112.10 it is 29.84 points ahead of the Second regiment, which is second "course C." and with 40.53 "army course," it is 9.27 points ahead of the First regiment, which stands second in that class.

SPARTA LA CROSSE GAME TOMORROW

Saturday afternoon on the home grounds the old rivals, Sparta and La Crosse, will meet in a game of baseball. The La Crosse boys have had one taste of victory over Sparta in the last basketball game of the season and expect to make Saturday's game the second if the hoodoo is still broken. It is the hope of all the fans that Topsy will not accompany the Spartans to the game as his presence seems to fluster the opposing team, although the basketball team managed to win in spite of his presence. The game is to be played at the old ball park and the admission is free. The lineup of the La Crosse High school team is as follows:

Frank Novak, c; Mike Novak, p; Fred Holbrook, 1b; Ralph Bradish, ss; J. Dahlgren, 2b; W. Tourtelotte, 3b; A. Dahlgren, lf; Joe Fowler, cf; Fred Dickens, rf; Rynning, sub. pitcher.

Debating Team.
The final oratorical contest was held in the High school auditorium Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Eleven contestants took part in the contest. All the selections were so well given that the judges found it hard work to decide. The four men who took the four first places will compete with the Sparta High school this evening at Sparta and if a prediction can be made from the way they showed up yesterday, Sparta will have a hard time getting a place. Ben Stevens although he did not take first place in the final contest will take first place at Sparta on Friday evening. The judges were Rev. Father Murphy, Rev. Lowe and Rev. Moller. The contestants in the order in which the selections were given were as follows:

Gardner Withrow—Liberty or Death.
Alstrom—Speech on the Force Bill.
Carl Jungbluth—Toussant l'Overture.
Wm. Stevenson—Eulogy on Garfield.
Irving Teuteur—Independence of Cuba.
Sigvald Stavrum—Character of Napoleon.
Paul Esch—Murder Will Out.
Ben Stevenson—Reply to Breckenridge.
Harry Runge—Death of Lafayette.
Fred Dickens—Address to the Roman Senate.
Howard Jones—Eloquence of Adams.
Paul Esch took the first place, and Ben Stevens who so distinguished himself in the last Sparta contest, took second. Irving Teuteur and Howard Jones took third and fourth respectively.

NOTICE TO TRIM TREES IS OUT

The board of public works is posting annual notices to the property owners regarding the trimming of trees and intends to enforce the ordinance this year. The ordinance requires that no trees shall have limbs protruding lower than 10 feet above sidewalks or 11 feet above the gutter. A fine from \$1 to \$10 is the penalty for any violation. The city hires wagons for the purpose of carrying away the trimmings from the trees if placed on the boulevards during the month of May.

DANCE LARGELY ATTENDED
The dance given by the uniformed rank of the Woodmen of the World at the Rose street Union hall last evening was a success in every detail. It was largely attended both by North siders and people from the south side.

The only woman who has a right to take advantage of leap year privileges, and propose, is the woman who has lots of money in her own name.

MAY PRETTY SURE TO BE NICE MONTH

PRESENT COLD SPELL DUE TO
TAKE TO THE WOODS

THE BUREAU ISSUES DATA

Normal temperature for Thirty-five
Years Was Above 50 Degrees;
Last Year Coldest on Record

The following data, covering a period of thirty-five years, have been compiled from the weather bureau records at La Crosse. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed, during the month in question, for the above period of years, but must not be construed as a forecast of the weather conditions for the coming month.

Temperature.
Mean or normal temperature, 59.
The warmest month was that of 1881, with an average of 68.
The coldest month was that of 1907, with an average of 51.
The highest temperature was 96, on the 27th, 1874.
The lowest temperature was 27, on the 4th, 1907.

The earliest date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn, Sept. 21, 1889.

Average date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn, October 10.

Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, April 30.

The latest date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, June 23, 1886.

Precipitation.
Average for the month, 3.63 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 12.

The greatest monthly precipitation was 8.25 inches in 1902.

The least monthly precipitation was 0.50 inches in 1887.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 2.55 inches on the 21st, 1902.

The greatest amount of snowfall



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The perfect blending of the "just bitter enough" coating and the "just sweet enough" centers results in an indescribable mouth-watering deliciousness. The purest and costliest ingredients—Johnston's exclusive recipe and method of making—are what make this exquisite delicacy so different—so much better than the ordinary. Remember to bring "her" some.

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the teeth of our clients and give expert advice as to their treatment. We never advise extraction if a tooth can be saved, and often fill a tooth instead of letting the owner lose it. Of course, we extract teeth when necessary and do so painlessly and quickly. We make a special feature of Crown and Bridge Work.

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115 South Fourth Street, La Crosse

recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 0.3 inches on the 10th, 1902.

Clouds and Weather.
Average number of clear days, 9; partly cloudy days, 13; cloudy days, 9.

Wind.
The prevailing winds are from the south.

The average hourly velocity of the wind is 7.6 miles.

The highest velocity of the wind

MAYOR AGREES TO START THE "BALL"

Mayor Anderson has accepted the invitation of the committee of the baseball directors to officiate at the opening game against Fond du Lac next Thursday. Mayor Anderson will deliver a brief address before the game and will throw the first ball of the game.



BOCK BEER

On Draught and in Bottles SATURDAY, SUNDAY, MONDAY, May 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Order a Case Sent Home. Ask your Dealer for it. At All Bars and Buffets. It's Full of Vim and Vigor.

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The one sure, safe remedy for hair troubles. It makes the hair beautiful, heavy and fluffy. Use it every day and watch your hair improve.

FREE, a sample bottle of ED. PINAUD'S HAIR TONIC (enough for 3 applications) for 10c. to pay postage and packing.

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EARLY VEGETABLES
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FRUIT HOUSE

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MME. B. SOULE,
524 Main St., 2nd Floor

CITY NEWS

MAY PARTY TONIGHT.—The plans for the May party to be given by the Omagua club tonight are progressing nicely and the committee in charge of the decorations is at work today. The hall is being prettily decorated for the occasion and the affair will no doubt be a success.

IMPROVE WATER MAIN.—Piles are being placed in the La Crosse river near the wagon bridge to be used in the raising and improving of the water main at that point.

IMPROVE BRIDGE.—The iron span on the bridge over West channel is undergoing a change, the bridge is being painted and otherwise improved.

MEETING POSTPONED.—The meeting of the directors and membership committee of the La Crosse Motorboat club scheduled for last night was postponed owing to the illness of one of the directors. When the directors meet they will include consideration of applying to the council for a public landing for the north side similar to the one installed at the Riverside park. The south side landing has been found to be a most convenient landing place and is greatly appreciated by boatmen generally.

PREPARE LANDINGS.—The two big docks which are to be put in at Pettibone park by Mr. A. W. Pettibone for the La Crosse Motorboat club, are being prepared by the contractors and will be in place at the park within a short time. A fleet of club boats will be called into service to take the docks to their place when they are ready to be floated. This will make Pettibone park a mecca for launch owners, as it will be possible to land picnic parties at the park, whereas in the past the rock shores and passing steamboats made this impossible.

SELLS BOAT.—William Tisch has sold his motorboat to a Galesville buyer.

WATER FULL OF DEBRIS.—Owing to the rapid rise in the stage of water the Mississippi is filled with

floating tree trunks and debris, washed from the shores above here, making boating rather risky for a time.

GOVERNMENT LIGHTS.—John Knapp, inspector of the 15th light-house district, has sent out notice that the government lights between St. Paul and Cairo Ill. inclusively, will be lighted for the first time today.

VISITS LA CROSSE.—John Lien-Jokken, former banker of this city, recently of Webster, S. D., is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Theodore Thompson. Mr. Lien-Jokken has given up his position in Webster and expects to go farther west to locate.

GOES INSANE.—Because they feared that she would commit suicide, the relatives of Martha Hauser, wife of Henry Hauser of Sand Lake Coulee, have made an application for examination to determine her sanity. Drs. Marquet and Lester were appointed by Judge Brindley to conduct the examination.

GOLDISH MUST
CLEAN UP JUNK

Notice has been served by the city on A. M. Goldish of the La Crosse Scrap Iron company to remove the old tanks and scrap iron in the street near the corner of Sixth and La Crosse streets. A complaint was made to the board of public works and the notice was the result. For some time past the street adjoining the Goldish property has been piled up with old scrap iron and property owners in the vicinity registered a complaint.

A Most Perilous Calling. The ruler shuddered. "What is it, your majesty?" a courtier inquired in soothing and gentle tones.

"That dentist," the king groaned. "He may have been an anarchist! Suppose he filled my tooth with dynamite! Then the first mouthful I bite down on—oh, horror, horror!" He swooned away.

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Do you want to save one third on your purchases and choose from three times as large a stock as carried by any one else in the city? By doing a wholesale and mail order business gives us these advantages. Our increasing business proves our claims.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. M. Ledman and Miss Ethel Ledman of Hillsboro, Wis., mother and sister of J. F. Ledman, 1102 Pine street, are in the city visiting while enroute to Miller, S. D.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. Mrs. Frank J. Killian of 512 North Seventh street is entertaining her sister, Mrs. P. H. Mangner of Dubuque.

Prof. Moritz Langstadt, who returned Monday from Mexico, expects to leave May 4th for Minneapolis to take up an orchestral engagement.

Otto Wolf has returned from Winona where he has been on business. H. Ray Collins is traveling through the eastern part of the state on business.

Excellent Carriage Line. Phone 179 Gateway City Transfer Line. John Lien-Jokken of Webster, S. D., a former resident of La Crosse, is visiting friends in the city.

Master Gunner Paul Nelson left for San Francisco after visiting with his mother in this city. He will sail May 5 for the Philippine Islands, where he will be stationed with the artillery corps.

Peter J. Snyder of Canton, Minn., is a business caller in the city today.

F. T. Hickey of Chatfield is in the city on a business trip. How to make \$1.00. See Woodward's ad on page 1.

F. A. Wetters of Dubuque is here on a business mission today. Edward Dolan of Des Moines is visiting friends in La Crosse.

Albert Maskenbury and W. A. Prinz of Cresco, Ia., are visiting friends in town today.

A. A. Zestkoski of Genoa is renewing acquaintances in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taylor of Bagley are visiting friends in the city.

Edwin Kubat of Neillsville is a business caller in town.

How to make \$1.00. See Woodward's ad on page 1.

C. A. Sorenson of Freeport is here on a few days' business.

H. M. Root of Neillsville is in the city on a business mission.

R. F. Howell of Viroqua is in La Crosse on business.

E. W. Cook of Winona is in the city on business.

P. M. McEagan of Brownsville is calling on business acquaintances in the city today.

N. Maylor of Houston is visiting friends in La Crosse.

A. H. Van Tassel of Beloit is in town on business.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

C. B. Johnson of Chippewa Falls is in La Crosse on a few days' business.

Miss Gertrude Bradbury and Miss Maud Van Loon left last evening for an extended trip through southern California. From La Crosse they went direct to San Francisco and expect to be gone about two months.

SAFE FALLS DOWN
STIRS ON VIROQUAN

VIROQUA, Wis., May 1.—(Special.)—While the draymen were engaged in moving a safe from the express office in the basement of the Lindemann block Thursday afternoon, one of the ropes broke and the safe fell back when it was about half onto Harry Pulver, catching him on one of the ropes broke and the ankle of the left foot, breaking the two bones where the edge of the safe struck, besides the injury to the rest of the foot and ankle. Dr. Minshall and friends quickly gathered and after hastily adjusting a brace and bandages Mr. Pulver was removed to his home a couple of blocks distant with the dray. Mr. Pulver was having his office furniture moved down to the Southeastern depot where he has recently arranged for his new quarters.

HORSE CASE UP
BEFORE C. W. HUNT

The case of Adolph Stebrecht versus Charles Hortbals was called this morning in Judge Hunt's court before the following jury: Jule Fries, Thos. Coulam, John Willing, Charles Cassel, Paul Lutz and W. H. Commis. The action has been brought over trouble arising from the purchase of a horse by the defendant which it is claimed was not up to the agreement in the contract. Wolf and Wolf appeared for the defendant and Higbee and Higbee represented the plaintiff.

VETERANS MEET ON
MEMORIAL PLANS

A meeting will be held this evening at the court house of the committee of the G. A. R. veterans for the purpose of completing the plans and program for the Memorial day exercises.

The program will be similar to that of last year including a parade to the cemeteries and addresses by prominent members of the organization as well as several prominent lawyers will be called upon to give addresses. The arrangement committee for the Wm. McKinley Post consists of H. Wilsie, Jason Phillips and Clarence Caldwell.

PASSENGER SHIPS
COLLIDE AT SEA

BREMEN, May 1.—Heavily loaded with passengers from Bremen for Baltimore, the North German Lloyd steamship Kohn collided with the German steamship Czar Nicholas off Prussian island of Norderney. Both vessels were badly damaged. The Kohn transferred its passengers to the steamer Field Marshall which towed the crippled craft into port. No one was seriously injured in the panic following the crash.

SOCIETY

"SINGIN SKULE BEGIMENT"

PLEASES LARGE AUDIENCE. The Y. M. C. A. auditorium was filled almost to its capacity last evening, by an enthusiastic audience, to hear the "Singin Skule Begiment," which was given under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bassett Willard of Cincinnati, Ohio, who have been here for the past two weeks, coaching the young people, took the leading parts of Jeremire and Arabella Robbins admirably, proving themselves performers of no small merit. The "kummittee," composed of fourteen members of the "Alumnum" were in full dress for the occasion and their costumes gave rise to much merriment.

To praise one more than another of the "skollars" would be rank injustice, for each and every one took their parts exceptionally well, and from the "high school girls" and "Polly Rumpus" down to the thirsty individual, the "twins" and the "old maids" every character seemed funnier than the last. The musical part of the "begiment" is one of its best features, and the many pretty solos and the rollicking choruses, were all well done and met with many well deserved encores. An evening full of genuine pleasure and merriment was the "Singin Skule Begiment" and the affair was a success in every way.

SOCIAL BREVITIES.

Miss Jennie Bell has returned from an eight months visit with relatives in New York and Scranton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard, who have been in the city, putting on the home talent play for the Universalist church, left this noon for Ottawa, Ill.

QUIET HOME WEDDING.

At a quiet home wedding Rev. J. Panzlau, pastor of the German M. E. church, united in marriage Saturday evening, April 25th, Miss Charlotte Jacobs and Mr. William J. Huebner, both of La Crosse. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jacobs, chairman of the town of Shelby, and is well known socially, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Huebner and is employed at the Hotel Doering, also having many friends who wish the young couple a most happy married life. The wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Henry Neuman, and was attended only by relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Huebner will commence house keeping immediately at 930 South Sixth street.

INFORMAL AFFAIRS
FOR MISS LOCKMAN

Miss Lou Lockman of St. Paul who has been the guest of relatives in the city for the past two weeks, has been the recipient of many pleasant informal affairs, during her stay here.

Mrs. Henry Deroff of 1016 Redfield street, entertained at a dinner of eight covers for Miss Lockman on Tuesday evening, and on Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Hengstler, 703 South Sixth street, was hostess at an informal coffee. Mrs. Alfred Au, will entertain for Miss Lockman tomorrow afternoon, and she will leave for her home in St. Paul on Sunday.

PARCEL SHOWER.

Miss Mathilde Buchda entertained at a parcel shower for Miss Jennie Christianson who is to be married soon. Flinch was played during the evening, Miss Christianson winning the head prize and Miss Olsen winning the consolation prize. Lunch was served after which the guests returned to their homes all having spent an enjoyable evening. Those present were the Misses Jennie Christianson, Ella Picha, Ella Miller, Edna Sjolholm, Elfrieda Schroeder, Selma Olson, Agnes Bertelson, Lena Christianson, Jeanette Moe, Emma Siebrecht, Clara Anderson, Lillian Oldenberg, Clara Wendling and Emma Wendling.

SCHIMSHAKE TAKES
BLAME OF ROBBERY

Frank Schimshake yesterday took the sole responsibility for the robbery of the Palm Tree saloon when he was on trial yesterday afternoon with Archie White, Forbes and Frank Voss, charged with burglarizing the resort. He admitted breaking through a cellar window and getting four bottles of whiskey. Forbes, the evidence showed, went home without partaking of the liquor, while the others each accepted a bottle. Schimshake failed to arouse the bartender, but tripping, went through a cellar window and helped himself.

ISSUE FREE TICKETS
TO PETTIBONE PARK

The Mississippi river wagon bridge will be free after today until the first of November to holders of bridge passes that entitle the bearers to cross the bridge to Pettibone park.

The first passes were given out this morning and up to noon about a hundred passes had been disposed of.

PLAN CONVENTION
NEXT THURSDAY

The Red Men held their weekly business meeting last night and took up the regular routine of business. The next meeting will be held Thursday when the plans for the state convention which will be held in La Crosse in August will be brought up. Extensive arrangements will be made so as to make the convention a complete success.

"What are you swearin' about?" inquired the farmer. "Oh," growled the disgusted motorist, between oaths, "this machine's broke down, and I can't get it to go. 'Gosh, you're in bad luck! Last fellow I seen 'round here got all broke up 'cause he couldn't get his to stop."

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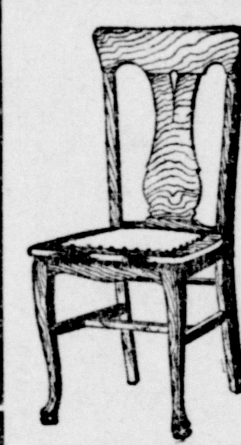
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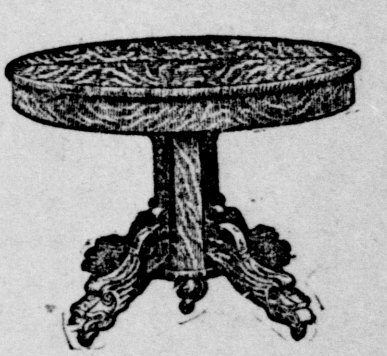


Gantert's solid oak dining room chairs, with the real box seat covered with genuine leather, for Saturday and Monday only each \$1.75

SPECIAL—Imported Japanese rugs in very choice designs, size 36 by 72 inches; assorted colorings, specially priced at 60c

LACE CURTAINS—Good quality ecru lace curtain in good designs, 3 yards long, 45 inches wide; special for Saturday at each only 55c

9x12 RUGS—Lenox Brussels room rugs, in good designs, 9x12 feet. Priced for Saturday and Monday at \$10.00



Gantert's solid oak extension tables, with round top and pedestal base non-dividing, finely finished for Saturday and Monday only at \$10.00

HOWARD CASE IS
FIRST WEDNESDAYMAY TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT
CONVENES THEN

CRIMINAL CALENDAR FIRST

Judge Fruit and Court Reporter Harrison Plan for a Moderately Busy Session

The May term of circuit court will convene in this city next Wednesday and the case of the state of Wisconsin vs. James Howard will be the

first to be called to trial.

Howard is charged with stealing an overcoat from a schoolhouse in the county and effort will be made by the state to fasten the crime on him. Howard is suspected of being a crook of no small ability and is accredited with the Mindoro safe blowing, but the authorities have been unable to definitely connect him with this crime.

The criminal calendar is not more than ordinarily heavy this session, and there are no cases of particular importance except the one against Dr. O'Brien of this city, charged with performing a criminal operation.

REV. FAVILLE IS
HONORED AT DETROIT

At the meeting held in Detroit yesterday Rev. Henry Faville, pastor of the Congregational church of this city, was made a director of the Congregational Brotherhood of America.

President J. H. Main of Iowa college at Grinnell, Iowa, was elected first president. President Main was chairman of the committee which had charge of the primary plans for the organization. Vice presidents, W. R. Moody, Northfield, Mass., H. M. Beardsley, Kansas City, board of directors Judge C. A. Ross, the Rev. Henry Faville of La Crosse, R. Leavitt of Iowa, Frank Pearson of North Dakota E. H. Warren of Michigan, Charles J. Hunt of Minnesota, and the Rev. Ozorah Davis, C. T.

INSANE MAN IS
STILL MISSING

The authorities have found no trace of Louis Skalland, the La Crosse man who escaped from the state insane asylum. Skalland has been sent up for delirium tremens and was practically cured at the time of his escape.

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GOING OUT OF BUSINESS

The time is short. Don't wait another day. Your missing some of the greatest saving opportunities you ever had. Every dollars worth of goods in the store must be disposed of regardless of cost or real value.

LOOK AT THESE RICH BARGAINS

HIGH GRADE BLUE SERGE SUITS, FORMERLY SOLD AT \$22.50 and \$25.00. WHILE THEY LAST \$16.85

High grade blue serge and unfinished worsted suits, right up to date, made by the foremost makers of clothing, considered good values at the regular prices \$22.50 and \$25.00. Your choice at \$16.85

Bargains In Hats and Furnishings Never Equalled

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

A great assortment of Men's Negligee Shirts in a wide range of new and up to date colorings and patterns. Formerly sold at \$1. While they last at only 79c

JERSEY SWEATERS

A lot of grey and black Jersey Knit Sweaters that regularly sell at \$2. To close them out priced at only \$1.69

FANCY VESTS

Our entire line of Men's Fancy Vests to be closed out at a great sacrifice. A great selection to choose from.

NECKWEAR

New and up to date Neckwear not out of the original cases more than a week, some only a few days. All the newest and latest things in the new patterns and colorings. Greatest bargain offered. Choice at only 42c

SOMETHING NEW.

The OBO hat for young men. In all the new colors. Going to be popular. Can't keep them so we have marked the price down to only \$1.69

COLLARS

Corliss Coon linen collars in all the up to date shapes and styles. Regularly sold at 15c. While the stock lasts your choice at each only 9c

Regular 20c rubber collars in different styles. To clean them up quickly, priced each at only 11c

Litholin collars. Regularly selling at 25c. For this final sale priced each at only 19c

McKIBBIN HATS. All the very latest styles and shapes in soft and derbies. Regularly selling at \$3.00 Price reduced to \$2.58

Save Money On Underwear and Hosiery

A good quality Balbriggan Underwear, Shirts and Drawers. Regular 25c quality. Price reduced the garment only 17c

Union Suits of a splendid quality, formerly selling at \$1.75 and \$1.50. Choice of blue and ecru, the suit \$1.29

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Entire line of the famous Lewis' Union Suits at deep cut prices. A big selection to choose from.

Interwoven Hosiery for men, in black and plain colors; best sock on the market; price reduced the pair 21c

SPECIAL—Men's fast black full seamless Socks, regular 15c kind priced at the pair only 7c

Or 75c the dozen.

Men's good quality black Socks regular 10c values, while they last, priced at the pair only 3c

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WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, will equ. shop for you or furnish position. Few weeks complete, constant practice, careful instructions, too. Given, Saturday evening, diploma granted, write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army, able-bodied men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States of America, of good character and temperate habits, can speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer at Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Man to assist in house cleaning at Cameron House. Apply to Manager.

WANTED—Salesmen, solicitors, also solicitor. Reference required. Apply to J. H. Gombert, 122 No. 5th street entrance.

WANTED—Good hard wood finish. Apply Vito Berger Co.

WANTED—Good strong boy at the Park Store. Apply Gen. Manager's office.

WANTED—Solicitors: good proposition; big money for real workers. Call at Tribune office, between 7 p. m. and 8 p. m. tonight. Ask for Mr. Brady.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girls at the Allen hotel, 433 Mill St.

WANTED—Girls to run knitting machines. Star Knitting Co., 128 Main St.

WANTED—A second girl at 928 King.

WANTED—Girl at Eagle Hotel.

WANTED—Girl at Green Bay Hotel.

WANTED—Experienced waitress at the Cameron House at once. Apply to head waitress.

WANTED—Two ladies to travel together on the road. Salary and expenses. Also lady or gentleman to act as general agent for a Chicago firm in La Crosse. No canvassing. Can conduct business from your home. From \$100 to \$200 per month made by other general agents, also chance for a few demonstrators. Write or call at once. W. O. Brown, Hotel Grand. In writing give time and place for interview.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, 515 So. 5th.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework at N. W. corner of 14th and Madison.

WANTED—Experienced chambermaid at the Cameron House. Apply to Manager.

WANTED—Competent girl, 314 So. 15th St.

WANTED—Competent girl at Mrs. A. R. Nelson, 1223 Ferry St.

WANTED—Young girl to help with general housework. Small family. 317 So. 9th.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Seven year old horse, high wagon and harness, all in good shape. Horse guaranteed sound. A. for \$70 if taken at once. 421 Jay St.

FOR SALE—A cozy little cottage, 2 lots, easy terms. Inquire 1702 Charles St.

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FOR SALE—Touring car, 18 horsepower, double cylinder, with extension top, all in good order. Address W. A. this office.

FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law, bound in half leather. Will sell cheap. Address, F. K. G., care Tribune.

FOR SALE—A large hall exchange, 35x54 inches, or will exchange it for a small safe that will go through a space 27 inches wide. Inquire Standard Oil Company, City.

FOR SALE—National Cash Register, latest improvements, detail adder, throughout slip. Langdon-Boyd Packing Co.

FOR SALE—Second hand baby carriage. Price \$4.00. Address, 25, this office.

FOR SALE—Seven drop head Singer machines, woodwork slightly marred, can be bought cheap, time or cash. Call at Singer store, 108 No. 3rd St.

FOR SALE—160 acres good farm land, cheap for cash; or will trade for city property. 804 Cass street.

FOR SALE—Eight acres of land, house, barn, tobacco shed, spring house, cigar factory, cigar makers' tools, farm tools, stock of cigars and tobacco, etc. Cigar, tobacco, ice cream and confectionery business, good location. Eggs for hatching. S. C. B. Leghorn and Barred Plymouth Rocks; blooded stock, big birds. Homesteads in Montana and North Dakota. Lands selling in same vicinity for \$12.50 and \$15.00 per acre. Next excursion to Billings, Mont., May 19th. Store for rent in good location. Modern house to rent for \$18.00. Money to loan on real estate security. Choice agricultural lands in Kidder county, North Dakota and Yellowstone county, Montana. \$12.50 to \$15.00 per acre. Seventy-five acre fruit and poultry farm 3 miles from city; cheap. Frank G. Roth, 4th & Pearl St.

FOR SALE—Two gas stoves, 1 water heater, 1 elegant bookcase, sewing machine and other household goods, cheap. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street.

FOR SALE—I. C. S. Illustrating Course. Address V. Y. Z., Tribune.

FOR SALE—I have one nice corner lot left in a very desirable locality, will sell cheap if taken at once. This is a snap. Address, 83, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Horse, between 1100 and 1200 lbs. Cheap if taken at once. Also chickens. 902 So. 8th.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 1 steel tank, 31x63, other steel and galvanized water tanks, smaller sizes, boilers, engines, pulleys, shafting, piping, belting, safes, 1 power 36 inch paper cutter, etc., etc. Call at once. La Crosse Scrap Iron & Metal Co. Both phones.

FOR SALE—Remington No. 7 typewriter, nearly new, cheap. Address "M," care Tribune.

FOR SALE—House, reasonable, 1418 Ferry St.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Modern room, 521 Ferry.

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, board near by if desired. 518 Ferry St.

FOR RENT—house at 409 N. 6th.

FOR RENT—Large 7 room cottage, sheds, etc., \$10. Madison and 21st.

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms, modern, apply second floor, Tribune-Bldg.

FOR RENT—4 room house, 517 Carr Street.

FOR RENT—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms for light house-keeping, 928 State.

Carpet Cleaning

CARPETS taken up, cleaned and delivered, 3 and 4c per yard. Satisfaction guaranteed. Rugs made from worn-out carpets. New phone, 968R; old phone, 8951. Oriental Rug Co., 520 Mill St. Enos E. Johnson, Mgr.

CARPET CLEANING—By E. M. Macie & Son; thoroughly aired and relaid. New phone, 635A.

CARPETS taken up, cleaned, relaid. Called for. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Both phones. La Crosse Rug Co., 109 Main.

Architects, Superintendents
SCHICK & ROTH—Bavarian Bank Building Telephone 299.

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Sewing Machine Repairing
ALL MAKES of Sewing Machines repaired by experts. Machines rented by week or mo. Rebuilt machines \$5 and up. Kenyon's 610 Main St.

Traveling Photographer
I AM prepared to go anywhere. Expert on views, groups, picnics, photo postal cards, commercial photos, panoramas pictures. Phone orders to Mariner Pharmacy, 425 Main St. W. J. Fitzpatrick.

Bicycles
"RACVICLE"—The largest selling high grade wheel in the world. Weis Book Store, 509 Main St.

Photographs
25 PHOTOS for 25c in 5 positions, 5 of each, photo postcards a specialty. Bill Smith, Barron Bldg. New Phone, 455R.

Excursions
STEAMER E. RUTLEDGE can now be chartered for excursions. For rates and dates apply to F. J. Fugina, Fountain City, Wis.

Money to Loan
MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds and valuables bought. Stevens, 309 McMillan.

Private Lessons
PRIVATE lessons given in reading, arithmetic, spelling, geography, stenography, typewriting and penmanship. New phone 385M.

Insurance
TORNADO INSURANCE—\$4.00 per thousand for 3 years; \$6.00 for 5 years. C. S. Van Auker, 328 Pearl St.

To Rent
WANTED TO RENT—Modern cottage, central location. Will give long lease for desirable property. Address, A. B. C., care Tribune.

Financial
LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

Novelty Reed Works
MANUFACTURERS of Reed Chairs, Baby Carriages, Sewing, Book and Music Stands, Clock Shelves, etc. Repairing and upholstering at lowest prices, will call; try us. H. Hauner, 613 Mill St. New phone, 787 Black.

Miscellaneous
WANTED—An opportunity to clean that dirty wall paper, satisfaction assured. Prices reasonable. Call 964A, new phone.

MR. URQUHART CAWLEY, B. A., Organist of Christ church, receives pupils for organ, piano and singing. Vocal culture a specialty. Studio, 427 Main street. Old phone, Red 7851.

TABLE BOARD—Reasonable price, 118 So. 9th.

WANTED—\$2,500 at 6 per cent. Good farm as security. Address, F. Bishop, Houston, Minn., care R. D. No. 5.

LET ME CLEAN your wall paper. No dust, no dirt. Will call and demonstrate. Prices reasonable. Call 964A, new phone.

WANTED—Plain sewing, neatly done, at 923 Farnam.

WANTED—A baby or two small children to board. References exchanged. Mrs. C. E. Greeney, Onalaska, Wis., Box 196.

WANTED—One nicely furnished front room on ground floor by married couple. Call old phone 6484.

OFFICIAL NOTICE
To Owners and Occupants of Lots. You are hereby notified to trim your trees, according to Ordinance No. 26, Sections 2, 3 and 4, ten (10) feet above the sidewalk or eleven (11) feet above the gutter.

Parties failing to comply, shall, upon conviction thereof be punishable by a fine of not less than One Dollar (\$1.00) nor more than Ten Dollars (\$10.00).

The city will remove trimmings during the month of May free of charge.

Place them on the boulevard and notify the undersigned at their office at City Hall by telephone.

By order of
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
Dated May 1, 1908.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT
State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss. In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the 1st Tuesday, being the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of C. L. Hood, for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Michael Seery, late of the village of West Salem, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

TRIBAL TROUBLE COLLAPSES
SIMLA, India, May 1.—To the Amir of Afghanistan's sudden abandonment of his tribesmen allies is attributed the collapse of what threatened to prove a serious North India border war. Delegates from the Mohmands are in conference with Gen. Sir James Wilscock today, and it is expected easy terms will be granted by the British.

It's hard to satisfy an automobile taste on a trolley car.

MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

JAIL-BREAK IS FOILED BY GIRL

REFUSES TO TAKE SAWS AND ACID TO PRISON INMATES

INFORMS SHERIFF OF PLANS

Official Gets Express Package of Tools Intended for Men in Custody

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., May 1.—An attempted jail delivery was neatly foiled here Wednesday, twenty-four hack saws, intended for A. R. Applin and Benjamin R. Smith, two of the jail inmates falling into the hands of Sheriff Orris Albertson, who has stored them carefully away in his safe.

Mr. Applin is considered, in many respects, the shrewdest prisoner who ever has occupied a cell here. He is accused of robbing a number of Northern Pacific mail sacks at Staples, and will answer for the alleged offense in the federal court in this city on May 5. The officials have been investigating his record and find that he has served one term at Stillwater; escaped another by an insanity plea and on being committed to a hospital easily gained his freedom.

Mr. Albertson suspected that all was not right a few days ago, and made a thorough examination of the prisoners' cells and bedding. He found that they had taken the ball of a pail and had been endeavoring to scratch through a broken corner of the cement floor in the hope of burrowing their way to liberty. They had also taken the wire from an old broom and endeavored to pick the locks by bending sections of it into various shapes. They also had a

EXCUSES GIRL FOR MURDERING "HUBBY"

DEFENDANT'S ATTORNEYS LAY CRIME TO CONDITIONS

PREDICT SENSATIONAL TRIAL

Jurors Will be Asked to Say "Go Thou, and Sin No More"—Plea Closed

CLINTON, Iowa, May 1.—"We will show a condition of affairs in Clinton that will make the hair on the heads of the jurors stand up like quills on the backs of porcupines before we finish this case," was the statement made by M. V. Gannon of Davenport, defending Irene Dolph on trial for murder, when the jurors were all chosen yesterday and the trial of the case commenced.

The attorney did not attempt to disguise the fact that Mrs. Dolph killed her husband, but in citing contributory causes declared the defendant had ruined her when she was only fourteen years old; that her mother was a woman of no principles and had trained the girl wrongly almost from her childhood, and that her husband had, by his conduct and by threats of desertion, driven her to a terrible mental condition of mind. In closing his plea he said:

"When we have proved these things we will ask the jury to say to this woman, as Christ said to Mary Magdalene: 'Go thou, and sin no more.'"

KRUPPENBACHER IS ILL AT PRESTON

PRESTON, Minn., May 1.—C. J. Kruppenbacher, arrested in La



MRS. FLINT.
La Crosse Theatre, Monday, May 4th, and Week.

piece of stiff wire which apparently had been passed in to them by some friend, and this was nicely pointed for lock picking purposes, but their efforts in this line had been futile. All of these things were seized, but they did not despair. Either directly or through some friend, they succeeded in ordering a package of fine metal saws, which have just arrived, addressed to Mr. McDuff—a fictitious name. They have been endeavoring to gain the confidence of a young woman who is employed in Sheriff Albertson's home, which is in the jail, and informed her that a small package addressed as stated awaited their order at the express office. They wished her to bring it to them and also a little acid from the drug store, which they needed for medicinal purposes. The acid would soften the iron and make cutting more rapid. The girl informed the sheriff of the request and the saws were promptly seized.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF
YANKTON, S. D., May 1.—Five-year-old Julius Rudd of James river is in the hospital here with a twenty-two caliber target bullet in his brain. His three-year-old sister pulled the rifle trigger and the bullet entered the boy's right temple. He is still alive.

CROOKSTON, Minn.—Ed. Peterson of Hallock was arrested yesterday by Deputy Game Warden Munch of Crookston for shooting a wild goose and was fined \$16.50 on appearance before Judge Harrison at Hallock.

CROOKSTON, Minn.—The 25,000 club of Crookston will canvass the question of holding a big Fourth of July celebration here this summer. Preliminary plans have been arranged for fire team run, races and ball games. The city has not held a celebration for a number of years.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia.—All carmen and blacksmiths of the Iowa Central railroad struck yesterday in resistance to a schedule cutting wages.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia.—The Far-

Crosse on charges of embezzlement from the Great Northern Copper company, is in jail here and is very ill from nervous collapse following several weeks of hard drinking. His shortage is \$700. Kruppenbacher resided in St. Paul for a couple of years and was for a time in charge of the barber shop in the capital.

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KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.
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PATTON CLEANS UP MILLION ON GRAIN

MILLIONS OF BUSHELS OF GRAIN DELIVERED FOR SHIPMENT

LIVESTOCK NOT SO BRISK

Cattle Steady, Hogs Lower, Sheep Advance—New York Stocks Fluctuate

CHICAGO, May 1.—James A. Patton, "Coarse Grain King," and his associates cleaned up a million dollars in the grain pit today when they closed up a deal in May wheat, corn and oats. The extent of the operations of the Patton crowd is shown in the morning deliveries in grain and provisions. Five and a half million bushels of oats, two and a quarter millions of bushels of corn were delivered this morning and of this Patton received nearly all.

As fast as the grain was delivered, Patton paid for it, and prepared to ship it out of Chicago. Most of the grain was delivered by Armour, who, following the rule established by P. D. Armour, during his lifetime, delivered every bushel of grain contracted for.

The extremes of Patton's winnings are not shown in these totals, however, as most of the traders settled their losses without delivering.

Wheat Jumps to 104
CHICAGO, May 1.—May wheat went up five cents this morning. It opened at 99 1/2 and shortly after the opening it advanced sharply to \$1.04; later it fell back to \$1.02, where it remained at noon. The sharp advance was the result of covering by shorts. At noon the market was nervous.

Chicago Livestock
CHICAGO, May 1.—Hogs slipped off 5c of yesterday's gains today, but were steady in the face of large receipts. Sheep were steady at a shade higher, with light receipts of cattle holding their own in a steady market.

Cattle, 1,500; beefs, \$6 to \$7.15; stockers, \$3.40 to \$5.70.

Hogs, 18,000; light, \$5.35 to 5.80; heavy, \$5.60 to \$5.85; pigs, \$4.50 to \$5.30.

Sheep, 7,000; natives, \$4.75 to \$6.20; lambs, \$5.75 to \$7.45.

(By Miner & Co.)
Chicago Markets.
Open High Low Close.

May ... 99 1/2 104 99 1/2 102
July ... 88 1/2 89 1/2 88 1/2 88 1/2

CORN.
May ... 67 1/2 68 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2
July ... 63 1/2 64 1/2 63 1/2 63 1/2

OATS.
May ... 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2
July ... 45 1/2 46 1/2 45 1/2 46 1/2

PORK.
May ... 13.07 13.12 13.02 13.02
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Minneapolis Market.
WHEAT.
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Pressure on Stocks.
NEW YORK, May 1.—For a good part of the first hour a weak tone prevailed. The losses ranged from fractions to over one point in practically everything traded in, with special pressure against Smelting stocks. Outside business and manipulation was generally on the buying side, and forced some recovery as the hour ended. This recovery induced some covering of shorts and in a few cases the upward movement was extensive enough to show net gains. Government bonds were unchanged; others irregular.

Poultry, Dairy, Etc.
NEW YORK, May 1.—Poultry, dressed, unchanged; live, moderate demand.

Butter, creamery, 26 1/2c.
Eggs, nearby white, 18 to 18 1/2c.
Cheese, creams, 15c.

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MARKET INDICATES SPRING

VEGETABLES COMING IN THOUGH WEATHER IS BAD

GREEN PEAS AND ASPARAGAS

Report of Crops Throughout Territory West of Here Shows Dampness is Helping the Crops

A few changes in vegetables and garden truck in the local market shows that spring is here even though it hasn't appeared so, for the past week. Green peas are now on the market at 8 cents a quart and asparagus at 10 cents a bunch



HEAR YE! HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

DOERFLINGER'S

THE NEWS OF SATURDAY'S SPECIAL SALE OPPORTUNITIES AT

JAMES S. PARNELL SAID: "Opportunity is a horse which stands saddled and bridled once at every man's door; mount him and ride to success! Or else your retribution is, and shall forever be, to listen to the echo of his hoof beats as he gallops down the corridors of Time." **SATURDAY IS A DAY OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR BUYERS**—We print a few mentions here—Read. There are more—Come.

That Lively Sale of Women's Suits Continues Thru Tomorrow



A REMARKABLE SALE OF WOMEN'S "PRINCE CHAP" \$25 TAILORED STREET SUITS \$18.75.

Late arrivals. Tardy, too—ought to have been here to meet Easter buyers. They were made to sell for \$25—and well worth that price. But the maker allows us a concession on account of late shipment, and we turn the benefit and good fortune to you. Choose your suit on Saturday at **\$18.75**

The Suits are beautiful Rajah Panamas, in Shadow Stripes, etc., mostly built in Prince Chap styles. A royal bargain at **\$18.75.**

HOUSEWIVES MAY SAVE ON SATURDAY

12½c Curtain Swiss 9½c—Third Floor.

A lot of curtain swiss, 36 inches wide in dots and figures, values to 12½c, yard **9½c**

Women and Children Interested in These 'Basement' Economics

Women's 50c shirtwaists in plain white and polka dots at **29c**
Women's 10c fast black hose at pair **7½c**
Children's untrimmed hat frames from **19c**
Boys' 29c knee pants, at pair **19c**

LOOKING FOR JEWELRY SNAPS?—READ—1st FLOOR

75c Silver Purses, 49c

New silver vanity purses, extra long chain, beautiful French grey finish, large medallion centers for monograms, worth 75c, special at **49c**
'Merry Widow' veil pins, beautiful designs set with rubies, turquoise and corals, at each **10c**

Of Heart Interest to Housekeepers—These Basement Bargains—Special Saturday Only

6-piece white and gold decorated chamber set, regular value \$3.50, special **\$2.48**
75c No. 8 heavy tin wash boiler special at **49c**
Night lamps, complete with burner and chimney at **10c**

SEED TIME

FLOWER OR VEGETABLE SEEDS 1c pkg.

Seeds that grow—you know that to get a hearty, vigorous plant you must have the right seed. We sell 'em—and at right prices. Saturday we offer regular 5c packages of flower or garden seeds, at 6 packages for **5c**

A Bunch of Brainy Fellows and Bright Women Gather Daily at Doerflinger's Cool and Cozy

CAFENET

Why don't you get the habit and join the "bunch"—there isn't a dyspeptic in the group—a feast of soul and a flow of wit is what goes on—the side—with a menu at the "Cafenet." A nice lunch for 10 or 15 cents at midday is better than a heavy dinner for the brain worker—try it and note how much better you feel for the afternoon stunt. Main floor.

A ROUSING SALE OF BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SUITS \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50 VALUES FOR \$1.98



An event of momentous importance to mothers of boys whose ages range from 2-12 to 7 years. We've suits on every rung of the ladder that the young lad climbs, starting at 2-12 years until he perches securely at the top, five years later. The Doerflinger Store sells more clothes for youngsters than any other house in town. The business didn't come to us by favor or luck or cunning. It has been won by service giving—has grown greater every year. The new clothes for boys are all dandies— and chiefly designed by expert tailors expressly for this store. Those offered in tomorrow's great special sale are beauties! Built on the "Russian" style, plain colors and smart, stylish mixed woollens, with sailor collars, prettily trimmed in silk and bearing a neat embroidered emblem on shields and sleeves. They have a detachable leather belt, handsome silk bow tie, plaited cuffs, and all seams are taped. The "Never-rip" sort of suits that defy the sturdiest boy's hardest usage, and delight the mother's heart. For Saturday we offer this wonderful value. Suits worth to \$3.50—none less than \$2.50, for a choice at **\$1.98**

Boy's Stansland Khaki Suits with knickerbocker pants, double stitched, brass buttons, at **\$2.00**
Hats to match, military style at **.49c**

A lot of boys' knee pants in black, blue and fancy, top seams, full size, values at 25 and 39c, special pair **19c**

FEET WELL GROOMED: Certainty Comes Inexpensive at Doerflinger's

SPECIAL SATURDAY SALE OF SHOES

Men's \$3.50 Shoes \$2.85—1st Floor

Men's patent colt shoes, lace, blucher and button styles, broad foot form last, medium toes, extension soles, regular and military heels, \$3.50 values, special at

\$2.85 Pair



Women's \$3.50 Oxfords \$2.85 First Floor.

Women's patent colt oxfords, blucher, button and lace styles, extension welt soles, plain toes and tips, military heels, very newest lasts, short vamps, regular \$3.50 values, special at

\$2.85 Pair

FAMILY ECONOMY MADE EASY THRU SAVINGS ON GROCERIES

SPECIAL SATURDAY—BASEMENT

Best granulated sugar, 19 lbs for **\$1.00**
Fancy shelled walnuts, lb. **35c**
Fancy Valencia Shelled Almonds, lb. **40c**
Fancy Sair Dates, lb. **7½c**
Large Queen Olives, quart **25c**
German Dill Pickles, dozen **12c**
Van Camp's Baked Beans, No. 2 can at **13c**
Sardines Smoked in Olive Oil, 15c can for **10c**
Lexington Brand Corn, 4 regular 7c cans for **25c**

Fancy Red Alaska Salmon, No. 1 full can **12½c**
Park Brand Early June Peas, 3 regular 9c cans for **25c**
Tomatoes, Stansland pack, can **9c**
90c Bottle Fancy Italian Olive Oil **69c**
15c Bottle Eagle Brand Peanut Butter **12½c**
New California Prunes, lb. **5c**
Fancy Muir Peaches, lb. **15c**
Fancy Graham Crackers, lb. **9c**
Fresh Baked Ginger Snaps, lb. **7½c**

EVILS IN TUB

EVELYN MURPHY HOLDS HEAD UNDER WATER

SUFFERED NERVOUS BREAK

Left Letters to Her Parents Telling Why She Committed the Deed and Asked Forgiveness

KENOSHA, Wis., May 1.—Miss Evelyn Murphy, aged 22, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of John J. Murphy, the leading banker and wealthiest citizen of Woodstock, Ill., committed suicide at the Penoyer sanitarium, north of Kenosha, Sunday night, but the facts were so carefully concealed that they did not leak out until today.

Miss Murphy took her life because she was suffering from what she considered an incurable ailment of the nerves. The letters in which the young woman told the final story of her struggle against the disease were handed over to her parents without being opened. The remains of Miss Murphy were interred in the family plot at Woodstock yesterday morning.

Miss Murphy was widely known among fashionable people as an accomplished musician and it is thought that work while at St. Mary's conservatory at Notre Dame was the cause of her breakdown. Six weeks ago her parents brought her to Kenosha and placed her in charge of Dr. George H. Adams at the Penoyer sanitarium. In company with a nurse who had been her constant companion since she entered the institution the young woman went to the bath adjoining the sitting room for her nightly bath. The nurse waited in the hall at the request of Miss Murphy, who then locked the door. Later the nurse summoned Dr. Adams and when the door was broken open the young woman was found dead. She had laid down in such a manner as to hold her head under the water, which almost completely filled the tub. Dr. Adams called assistance and every effort was made to bring her back to life.

FEELS GOOD AFTER A 21 DAY FAST

GREEN BAY, Wis., May 1.—Charles F. Kruger has ended a fast of twenty-one days. He had begun to get a trifle peaked but was about every day of the time and says that he never felt better in his life.

LAWRENCE WILL ABOLISH RUSH

APPLETON, Wis., May 1.—The push ball will displace the class scrap at Lawrence university, this having been decided upon by the committee appointed a week ago to devise some means of eliminating in the future the vicious class affairs that have become known at Lawrence.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

BELOIT—Mrs. C. A. Emerson, president of the Federation of Women's clubs from the First congressional district of Wisconsin, announces that at the convention in Racine there will be a full discussion of the proposed state law, which changes the age of school children from 4 to 6 years. It is feared that this amendment would prevent children from attending the public kindergartens which have the support of all women's clubs.

FOND DU LAC—Fifty residents of Ripon have asked that the prosecution be dropped in the case of Mrs. Elizabeth Ogden, who shot at Justice Nohl and then became insane.

ANTIGO—Judge Parsons refused to admit the will of Mrs. Mary Deleghise on the ground that the proponents failed to show that Mrs. Deleghise had mental capacity to execute a will.

CHIPPEWA FALLS—Levi F. Martin, who came here in 1857, was stricken with apoplexy at Walla Walla, Wash.

WISCONSIN MAN IS KILLED AT ST. PAUL

WAS TRYING TO BOARD MOVING TRAIN; SLIPPED

IS FRIGHTFULLY MANGLED

As Yet Has Not Been Identified But Is Thought to Come From Sun Prairie, Wis.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 1.—An unidentified man, but supposed to be Anton Arans of Sun Prairie, Wis., was mangled under a Milwaukee passenger train in the union depot.

The lower part of his body was crushed into pulp. The remains were taken to the morgue by Coroner A. W. Miller. Papers and his clothing indicate that he might be acquainted in Portage, Wis., and Columbus, Wis. Dr. Miller notified the authorities of those towns in the hope of identifying the man.

The man was seen running down the platform of the union depot and apparently trying to seize the railing of one of the coaches to board the train, which was pulling out of the depot. He caught hold of one coach and as he was about to step aboard he slipped and rolled under the trucks. When the train passed out

of the depot sheds the mangled trunk was found crushed against the platform and the feet and legs were scattered along the rails.

The man was about 35 or 40 years of age and apparently of German or Bohemian descent. His clothing was of good dark worsted material. His shoes were new and made by Barton Brothers, Kansas City, Mo. One of the coats bore the tag of A. M. Belack, Columbus, Wis., and a new pair of suspenders had the trade mark of Druck Brothers, St. Paul. The shirt was new and had never been laundered. It had the buffalo head brand on the neckband. A ticket over the Milwaukee road from St. Paul to Portage, Wis., was found in his pockets, and it is thought that he was going there when he met his death.

PASTOR IS TIRED; WEDDING CALLED OFF

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 1.—Rev. Carl Baumbach of Fall Creek has the unique distinction of refusing to perform a marriage ceremony because he was tired out. On Monday he officiated at three marriages and when called upon to officiate at a fourth refused, and it had to be postponed. Leap year, it is said, accounts for many of the numerous recent marriages at Fall Creek, where the young women greatly outnumber the men.

FROST ROAD RECEIVES BLOW

KENOSHA, Wis., May 1.—Judge Reiden permanently restrained A. C. Frost's Kenosha Electric Railway

company from operating a double track on Elizabeth street. The court held that the ordinance granting a double track was not a "reasonable" ordinance, but that the decision of the court did not invalidate the whole ordinance. The company will appeal. If the decision of the lower court is upheld, it will make it necessary for the company to work out an entirely new plan for the operation of cars.

SANBORN NOT OUT FOR GOVERNOR

MADISON, Wis., May 1.—Contrary to reports, no boom has been launched here for States Senator A. W. Sanborn of Ashland for the republican nomination for governor.

It is not believed here that Senator Sanborn contemplates becoming a candidate for the nomination, because he called at the governor's office in the capitol a few days ago and told Gov. Davidson that if he became a candidate for renomination he (Sanborn) would heartily support him.

It is understood that Gov. Davidson will announce his candidacy for renomination in a short time.

BURN HOLE IN BIG SAFE.

MENOMINEE, Mich., May 1.—After working all Monday night with punches and cledge hammers, safe experts secured an entrance to a large safe in the Lumberman's National bank by burning a hole in the bottom of the safe with electricity and working the combination in this manner. The big safe has a time lock and

through a slight accident, the timing appliance became improperly adjusted and the safe could not be opened. All day Monday the bank officials were unable to gain entrance to the safe and funds for the regular business of the institution had to be secured elsewhere.

BEAVERS BUILD HUGE DAM

NENAH, Wis., May 1.—Industrious beavers are causing a great deal of trouble for the Kimberly-Clark company, on the Fence river. Hundreds of thousands of feet of logs are now held up there by a dam which the beavers have constructed so solidly as to be almost impregnable.

Had 'Em Again

Dr. S. Weir Mitchell tells with keen enjoyment of the experience of a medical friend of his who engaged a nurse recently graduated for a case of delirium tremens. The physician succeeded in quieting the patient and left some medicine, instructing the nurse to administer it to him if he "began to see snakes again." At the next call the physician found the patient again raving. To his puzzled inquiry, the nurse replied that the man had been going on that way for several hours and that she had not given him any medicine. "But didn't I tell you to give it to him if he began to see snakes again?" demanded the physician. "But he didn't see snakes this time," replied the nurse confidently. "He saw red, white and blue turkeys with straw hats on."—Lippincott's.

WHERE THE LITTLE HATS COME FROM

"Where do women find the natty little hats you see so many of them wearing on Main St.?" queried a perplexed one, who also sought pettiness in millinery.

Well a great many find them right here in our \$5, \$6 and \$8 salons. Our hat-thinker has remembered that not all women wear the wonderful coiffures required to support large hats. Some will desire the diminutive chapeau that fits snugly over modest pompadours and closed hair dressing. These small yet dashing hats are here, as well as demure toques for even more conservative women and bonnets that elderly women can wear with either their spring suits or their midsummer gowns. Millinery Salons, second floor.

A special sale and showing on Saturday of beautiful and fashionable hats for smartly crest women, at \$5, \$6 and **\$7.00**



CASTORIA, 25c. Special Saturday 'mong the Patent Medicines—1st Floor.

35c Bottle Fletcher's Castoria, at **25c**

FOR MEN WHO SMOKE—Special Saturday in the "Smoke Shop"—1st Floor.

4 Crema Cigars for **15c**

KERCHIEFS—All Linen, 3½c.—1st Floor.

Women's Plain White All Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs at **3½c**

CANDY—Our "Treat"—Great bargains Saturday—1st Floor.

½ lb. Kratchwell's Home Made Chocolate Creams, worth 40c, for **10c**

Nice Fresh Jelly Beans, the 1b. **10c**

TABLE LINENS AND TOWELING at Advantageous Pricings.—1st Floor.

Cotton twilled Toweling, 18 inches wide, at yard **3½c**

20c Turkey Red Table Linen, 58 inches wide, at yard **12½c**

THEY'RE HERE—THOSE "MERRY WIDOW" HAIR ROLLS—1st Floor.

24 in. rolls suitable for dressing the hair in a becoming effect for wearing the chic Merry Widow hats so popular at this time **25c**

UNUSUAL VALUES IN WASH GOODS—1st Floor.

50 pieces 30 in. width Challie Fantana in handsome Persian patterns and conventional designs. **10c**

Special Saturday only yard **10c**

50 pieces 28 inch Voiles in neat effects, seldom seen outside the all wool grades, special at yard **15c**

DELICIOUS ICE CREAM FROM THE COOL AND COZY CAFENET

First Floor—Order a Brick for Sunday.

Ice cream that's pure, wholesome, healthy and delightful, grateful to the taste, exquisite in flavor. At the store it costs but a mite for a big plate of it **5c**

We'll send you home a plain brick of vanilla ice cream for your Sunday dinner, or social gathering for **25c**

Or the finest cream you ever ate and give you full choice of all flavors and fancy bricks for **35c**

If you can't come to the store phone the order—either phone.

Sugar-Cured Shoulders, Home Made at 9c per lb.

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